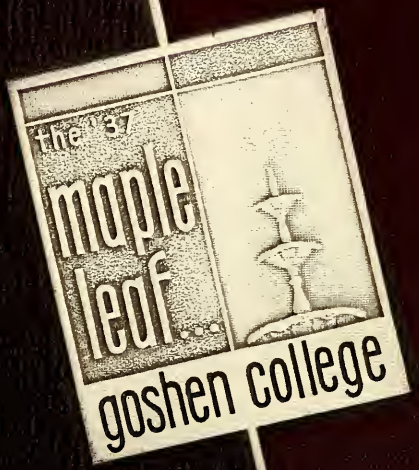
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"there is life around the fountain" - -

at

goshen college

goshen, indiana

- - and therein dwells the youth of

Emanuel Hertzler, Editor
Winifred Nelson, Associate Editor
Waldo Lehman, Business Manager
John Friesen, Art Editor
Lois Yoder, College Life Editor

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as portrayed by the
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in

the 1937 maple leaf

"—striving for more truthful knowledge and sound appreciation of life's values—"

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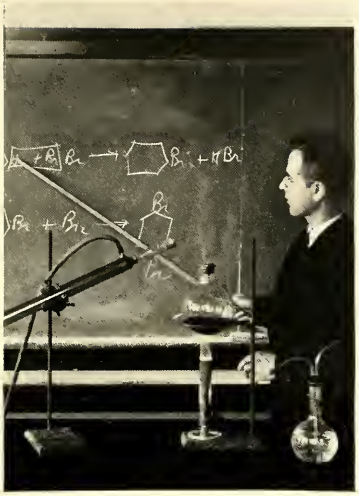


INSTRUCTION

RESEARCH

"—receiving inspiration from the beaut

"—Where the Elkhart river flows;
'Tis a spot we love most dearly,
'Tis a spot we cherish long—"

f familiar scenes—"

South Cottage (upper left), the Apartments (upper right), the Gymnasium (lower left), the Science Hall with the ice-laden fountain in the foreground.

"—cherishing the enriching fellowship of friendly spirits—"

COFFMAN HALL

RECREATION ROOM

KULP HALL

"—and so this life
which flourishes about the fountain
leads on each student
to fulfillment of his better dreams
and fits him
for a richer and more fruitful life
when college years
and college tasks are done."

leading

We dedicate this section of our book to those men and women who, by their steadfast purpose and constant effort, have established and kept alive the spirit of Christian fellowship at Goshen College, who have given themselves unreservedly to the promotion of Christian education, and who have inspired each one of us to seek a deeper Christian experience. We here pay tribute to our administration and instructors—our **leaders.**

leading

SANFORD CALVIN YODER, M.A., B.D.
President

BIBLE

Born at Sharon Center, Iowa . . . Married 1903 to Emma Stutsman . . . three children . . . graduated from Clarion High School (Iowa) 1901 . . . LL.B., Hamilton School of Law, Chicago, 1926 . . . B.A., State University of Iowa, 1927 . . . M.A., Winona Lake School of Theology, 1933 . . . B.D., Northern Baptist Theological Seminary, 1934 . . . Graduate Student, School of Religion, State University of Iowa . . . taught country school, 1901-1904 . . . principal Sharon High School (Iowa) 1904-1905 . . . principal pioneer school (Washington) 1905-1906 . . . ordained as Amish Mennonite Minister (Nebraska) 1911 . . . ordained as Bishop (Iowa) 1913 . . . teacher Short Bible Term (Hesston College, Kansas) 1921-1923 . . . assistant moderator, Western A. M. Conference, 1915-1921 . . . official representative to South America to locate a Mission 1919-1920 . . . Mennonite Relief Commission 1918-1926 . . . President of the Mennonite Board of Education, 1919-1924 . . . Secretary of the Mennonite Board of Missions and Charities, 1922- . . . President of Goshen College and Professor Bible, 1924-.

HAROLD STAUFFER BENDER, M.A., B.D., Th.D.
Dean

BIBLE, CHURCH HISTORY

Born at Elkhart, Indiana . . . married 1923, Elizabeth Horsch . . . two children . . . graduate of Elkhart High School, 1914 . . . B.A., Goshen College, 1918 . . . B.D., Garrett Biblical Institute, 1922 . . . M.A., Princeton University, 1923 . . . Th.M., Princeton Seminary, 1923 . . . Th.D., Heidelberg University, 1935 . . . traveled in Europe as European Traveling Fellow in O. T. from Princeton, 1923-1924 . . . studied, Tubingen University, Germany, 1923-1924 . . . Heidelberg University, Germany, 1930 and 1935 . . . taught High School (Thorntown, Indiana) 1916-1917 . . . taught Hesston College, 1918-1920 . . . European Representative of Mennonite Central Committee in Russian Relief Work, 1930 in Germany . . . Acting Dean of Goshen College, 1931-1933 . . . Dean of Goshen College, 1933- . . . Director of the library, Goshen College, 1924- . . . President, Mennonite Historical Society, 1924- . . . Editor, "Mennonite Quarterly Review," 1927- . . . Author, "Two Centuries of American Mennonite Literature 1929 . . . Author, "Sunday School Teacher Training Manual, Old Testament Law and History", 1936 . . . Author, "Menno Simons", 1936 . . . Chairman, Peace Problems Committee of General Conference, 1935-.

administrative officers

CHRIS L. GRABER

Business Manager

Born at Wayland, Iowa . . . married, 1920, Mina Roth . . . six children . . . graduate Washington High School (Iowa), 1916 . . . student at Hesston College, 1919-1920 . . . taught rural school, Wayland, Iowa, 1916-1917 . . . Near East Relief, 1919-1920 . . . Endowment Custodian, Mennonite Board of Education, 1927-1929 . . . pastor, Goshen College Mennonite Church, 1930- . . . Business Manager, Goshen College, 1924-1927, 1933-.

PAUL BENDER, Ph.D.

Registrar

Physics and Mathematics

Born at Springs, Pennsylvania . . . married 1929, Bertha Burkholder . . . graduated Hesston Academy, 1916 . . . B.A., Hesston College, 1921 . . . M.S. State University of Iowa, 1925 . . . Ph.D., State University of Iowa, 1932 . . . taught country school. McPherson County, Kansas, 1918-1919 . . . instructor Hesston College and Academy, 1921-1932 . . . Professor of Physics at Goshen College, 1932- . . . Registrar Goshen College, 1936-.

MARY NEUHAUSER ROYER, M.A.

Dean of Women

Education

Born at Goshen, Indiana . . . B.A., Goshen College, 1930 . . . M.A., George Peabody College for Teachers, 1931 . . . attended George Peabody College for Teachers, (summer) 1935 . . . attended University of Chicago (summer), 1936 . . . taught Orville Elementary Schools (Ohio), 1931-1933 . . . instructor in Education, Goshen College, 1933- . . . Editor Teachers' and Primary Pupils' Sunday School Lesson Quarterlies, Mennonite Publishing House, 1936-.

EDWARD YODER, Ph.D.

Dean of Men

Greek and Latin

Born at Kalona, Iowa . . . Married 1920, Estie Miller . . . one child . . . graduated from Hesston Academy, 1917 . . . B.A., Hesston College, 1920 . . . M.A., State University of Iowa, 1924 . . . Ph.D., University of Pennsylvania, 1928 . . . taught Hesston Academy, 1920-1923 . . . taught Hesston College, 1928-1932 . . . instructor, Goshen College, 1926-1928 . . . Professor of Latin and Greek, Goshen College, 1933-.

faculty

DANIEL A. LEHMAN, M.A.

Professor Emeritus

Mathematics and Astronomy

Born at Scotland, Pennsylvania . . . B.E., Millersville Normal . . . B.S., Millersville Normal . . . Ph.B., Wesleyan University (Connecticut) . . . M.A., Western Reserve . . . Also studied at Lick Observatory, Chicago, Columbia, Michigan, and Colorado Universities . . . taught Mathematics and Astronomy, Goshen College and Academy, 1906-.

SAMUEL W. WITMER, Ph.D.

Biological Science

B.A., Goshen College, 1914 . . . M.A., University of Wisconsin, 1915 . . . University of Illinois, summer 1916 . . . University of Chicago, summer 1921 . . . University of Wisconsin, summer 1923 . . . Ph.D., Indiana University, 1935 . . . Professor, Goshen College, 1915-23 . . . Bluffton College, 1923-24 . . . Goshen College, 1924-.

SILAS HERTZLER, B.D., Ph.D.

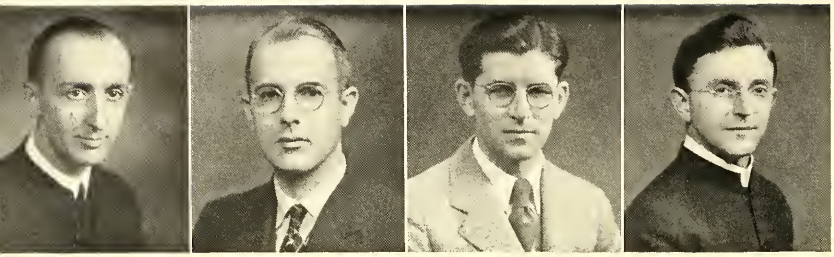
Education and Psychology

Born at Baltimore, Maryland . . . married Anna Rose Weaver, 1924 . . . five children . . . graduated from Towson High School (Maryland), 1909 . . . B.A., Goshen College 1913 . . . B.D., Yale Divinity School, 1917 . . . M.A. Teachers College, Columbia University, 1918 . . . Ph.D. Yale University, 1927 . . . Professor of Psychology and Education, Goshen College, 1920-23, 1924-25, 1927- . . . relief work in Near East Relief in Syria, 1919-1920 . . . author "The Rise of the Public High School in Connecticut."

JOHN SYLVANUS UMBLE, M.A.

English

Born in Union County, Pennsylvania . . . married 1906, Alice Landis . . . two children . . . graduate Kings Creek High School (Ohio) 1899 . . . B.A., Northwestern University, 1906 . . . M.A., Northwestern University, 1928 . . . instructor in Elkhart Institute, Summer School, 1901 . . . taught elementary school (Ohio), 1902-1904 . . . instructor Goshen College, 1904-1905 . . . taught Mt. Vernon, Indiana High School, 1906-1909 . . . taught Akron High School, Akron, Ohio, 1909-1913 . . . Professor of English, Goshen College, 1925-.



GUY FRANKLIN HERSHBERGER, Ph.D.

History

Born at Kalona, Iowa . . . married 1920 to Clara L. Hooley . . . two children . . . graduated from Kalona High School, 1915 . . . B.A., Hesston College, 1923 . . . M.A., University of Iowa, 1925 . . . Ph.D., University of Iowa, 1935 . . . attended Iowa State Teachers College . . . attended University of Chicago . . . taught Iowa Public Schools, 1915-1919 . . . taught Hesston Academy, 1923-1924 . . . professor of History, Goshen College, 1925-.

GLEN RUSSELL MILLER, Ph.D.

Chemistry

Born at Wellman, Iowa . . . married 1926, Pearl Klopfenstein . . . two children . . . graduated from Hesston Academy, 1920 . . . B.A., Hesston College, 1924 . . . M.S., University of Iowa, 1925 . . . Ph.D., University of Iowa, 1930 . . . taught Hickory Grove Country School, 1922-1923 . . . Professor of Physical Science (Chemistry), 1925-.

ARTHUR LEHMAN SPRUNGER, B.A.

Art

Born at Berne, Indiana . . . married 1928, Cordelia Riesen . . .one child . . . graduate of Berne High School, 1915 . . . B.A., Goshen College, 1922 . . . attended Chicago Art Institute . . . Academy of Fine Arts, Chicago . . . John Herron Art Institute, Indianapolis . . . has done private work with Karl Krafft . . . art instructor, Goshen College, 1928- . . . Supervisor of Art in Goshen Public Schools, 1922-.

IRVIN E. BURKHART, M.A., Th.M.

Bible

Born in Waterloo County, Ontario, Canada . . . married 1927, Gladys Loucks . . . three children . . . B.A., Goshen College, 1926 . . . Th.M., Southern Baptist Theological Seminary, 1929 . . . M.A., University of Pittsburgh, 1929 . . . taught Bible at Hesston College, 1929-1934 . . . head of Bible Department, Hesston College, 1929-1934 . . . director of Young People's Institute, 1930- . . . secretary of Winter Bible School, Goshen College, 1934- . . . assistant professor of Bible, Goshen College, 1934-.

LYDIA FRANCES SHENK, M.A.

French

Born at Elida, Ohio . . . graduated Goshen College Academy, 1920 . . . attended Goshen College, 1920-1922 . . . attended Bridgewater College (Virginia), 1923-1924 B.S., University of Virginia, 1925 . . . B.A., Goshen College 1929 . . . graduate student, University of Penna., 1929-30 . . . M.A., University of Michigan, 1934 . . . taught Junior High School, Pleasant Hill, Virginia 1922-1923 . . . taught Manassas High School, Virginia, 1925-1929 . . . instructor in French, Goshen College, 1930-.

WALTER E. YODER, B.S. in Education

Music

Born in LaGrange County, Indiana . . . married 1917, Matilda Schertz . . . five children . . . graduated from Topeka, Indiana High School, 1908 . . . graduated from Goshen College School of Music, 1913 . . . B.S. in Education, Goshen College, 1933 . . . attended Northwestern School of Music, Summer School, 1934, 1935, 1936 . . . taught country school (Illinois), 1909-1911 . . . instructor in music and director of chorus, Goshen College, 1930-.

OLIVE GERTRUDE WYSE, M.S.

Home Economics

Born at Wayland, Iowa . . . graduate Wayland High School, 1922 . . . B.A., Goshen College, 1926 . . . M.S., in Nutrition and Home Economics, State University of Iowa, 1933 . . . attended Iowa Wesleyan College, 1922-1924 . . . attended University of Chicago, summer 1936 . . . taught Goshen College Academy, 1926-1932 . . . instructor in Home Economics, Goshen College, 1933-.

ELIZABETH HORSCH (Mrs.) BENDER, B.A.

German

Born at Elkhart, Indiana . . . married 1923, Harold S. Bender . . . two children . . . B.A., Goshen College, 1918 . . . attended Penna. State College, summer 1922 . . . attended Heidelberg University, Germany, second semester and summer term, 1935 . . . instructor in German, Goshen College, 1925-1927, 1934-.

MARTIN CLIFFORD LEHMAN, Ph.D.

Education and Philosophy

Born at Dalton, Ohio . . . married 1905, Lydia Liechty . . . three children . . . graduated from Columbiana High School (Ohio) 1900 . . . B.A., Goshen College, 1914 . . . M.A., Goshen College, 1915 . . . Ph.D. Yale University, 1934 . . . attended Westminster Theological Seminary, 1934 . . . taught elementary school 1900-1901 . . . taught Dhamtari (Central Province, India) High School, 1906-1930 . . . instructor in Education and Philosophy, Goshen College, 1935 . . . has spent twenty-four years as missionary in India . . . at present on furlough.

MABELLE TAPPAN (Mrs.) McFARLAND
M.S.

Commerce

Born at Anderson, Indiana . . . married 1928, Robert I. McFarland . . . two children . . . graduated from Anderson High School, 1916 . . . B.S., University of Illinois, 1925 . . . M.S., University of Illinois, 1926 . . . attended Bowling Green Business University, 1928 . . . instructor in Commerce, Goshen College, 1935-.

E. LaVERNE YODER, M.A.

English and Physical Education

Born at Iowa City, Iowa . . . graduated from Goshen College Academy, 1930 . . . B.A., Goshen College, 1934 . . . M.A., State University of Iowa, 1935 . . . attended University of Colorado, summer of 1936 . . . instructor of English and Physical Education, Goshen College, 1936-.

STELLA KAUFFMAN, B.A., B.L.S.

Librarian

Born at Pigeon, Michigan . . . graduated from West Liberty High School (Ohio), 1929 . . . B.A., Goshen College, 1934 . . . B.L.S., University of Illinois, 1936 . . . assistant Librarian, Goshen College, 1936-.

PART TIME INSTRUCTORS

Daniel S. Gerig, M.A. ——— Economics
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B. Frank Hartzler, B.A. ——— Music
Claude French, B.A. ——— Mechanical Drawing
Reginald Brinklow, B.A. ——— Music
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Lloyd Conrad ——— German and Mathematics
Ernest Davis ——— Athletics
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Charles Kreider ——— Zoology
Erma Martin ——— English
Harold Miller ——— Mathematics and Physics
Milton Slagel ——— Chemistry
Elinor Smith ——— Music and Physiology

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Siddie (Mrs.) Oyer ——— Matron of Coffman Hall
Viola Good ——— Matron of Kulp Hall
Oswin Gerber ——— Superintendent of Grounds
Joseph Brunk ——— Superintendent of Shirt Factory
Retha Hostetler ——— Assistant Dean
Lois Winey ——— Assistant Business Manager
Bertha (Mrs.) Sieber ——— Dining Hall Chef

learning

We dedicate the following pages to that very indispensable part of any institution of learning—the student body. Goshen students know the value of Christian education and willingly spend their college years in pursuit of it. Eagerly molding mind and spirit, each one aspires to reach the goal—"Culture for Service"—by . . . **learning.**

learning

class of nineteen thirty-seven

Motto: "Sincerity, Simplicity and Service."
Colors: brown and gold; class flower; the Marigold.

In the fall of 1936 thirty-seven students registered as Seniors. At our first class meeting we elected officers and began the work of the year.

Why did we "sneak" in the fall instead of the spring? To this question we submit three possible answers: to be different; to instill into the minds of lower classmen, from the very beginning, the fact that Seniors really exist; and third, to have it recorded in the "Maple Leaf". With Dean Bender's aid we escaped, leaving our dignity and Juniors behind us. The first night was spent in Indianapolis where all the girls passed as school teachers. The next day we drove to Brown County. The high-lights of the day were: a visit to an old jail; an introduction to the famous photographer, Hohenberger; chicken dinner; the purchasing of rubbers; and hikes in Brown County mud. "Jake" Slagel, may his wit never grow dull, lived up to his name by keeping us breathless until we reached Goshen at 11:00 P. M. the same night. Here we again say "Thank you" to the Juniors for the surprising but delightful reception.

A large fire in the meadow, hamburgers, a yellow moon, pie, and the fact that it was held at Joy Hooley's made our first party a success. To celebrate the beginning of our last semester as undergraduates, we had a "game" party in the Home Economics rooms. High score honors go to Francis Troyer for drinking fifteen cups of cocoa.

For some strange reason we forgot to organize a women's basketball team. However, the men remembered and although they did not keep the score-keeper busy, they got more laughs than the other teams.

We do not expect to be remembered for our attainments in athletics, and our scholastic achievements will no doubt soon be a thing of the past. We have tried to live our motto: "Sincerity, Simplicity, and Service". As we separate, may we continue to allow these three great principles to influence our lives.

—Lois Miller

class officers

CHARLES KREIDER, B.A.
Wadsworth, Ohio
Physical Science, Biological Science
President

Small, but able to carry responsibility, an unobtrusive leader—that's Charlie. Given something to do, it is done directly and with ability. His good judgment and initiative have made him a capable and efficient personage on our campus. Nature—birds, animals, flowers—is his specialty. We have here a combination of business and friendliness; a serious mind, yet a lively and energetic nature.

Plans for next year: Teaching.

Class Vice-Pres. III, Pres. IV; Y.M.C.A. Cab. III, IV; C.W.B. I, II, IV, Pres. III; Peace Soc., Treas. III, Vice-Pres. IV; Audubon Soc. III, Treas. IV; Adelphian, Sec. II, Critic III, Pres. IV; Maple Leaf Staff, Editor III; Record Staff II; Intercollegiate Debate I; Debate I, II; Student Lib. Assoc. Pres. IV; Men's Peace Oratorical III.

WILLIAM FRIESEN, B.A.
Dhamtari C.P., India
Music, English
Vice-President

Some personalities must be searched for; others cannot be hid. Their striking characteristics are clearly visible. Musical, artistic, literary, clever, and sincere, Bill exhibits an unusual array of talents. He is probably best know for his excellent bass voice, with which he grumbles on the low notes left untouched by others. His ready wit has been welcomed on many occasions. It would almost be sufficient to say "four-square".

Plans for next year: Attend Westminster Choir School.

Class Treas. II, Vice-Pres. IV; Gospel Team II, III, IV; Ger. Club II, III, IV; Audubon Soc. III, IV; Adelphian, Sec. II; Maple Leaf Staff I, II, III; Record Staff I, IV; Lecture Board IV; Student Lib. Assoc. II; A Cappella Chorus I, II, Vice-Pres. III, IV; Men's Chorus I, II, Vice-Pres. III, IV; Music Club, Vice-Pres. III, Pres. IV.

MARTHA PLANK
Harrisonburg, Virginia
French
Secretary

A will to do, a quiet capability, a hearty laugh: they are all Marty's. Haste is the one word lost from her vocabulary. Always busy, but never in a hurry, she neither wastes time nor crowds it too full of unnecessary action. One is attracted to her by her friendly smile, which is as well known as her laughter. Studious, capable, unruffled is Marty.

Plans for next year: Homekeeping

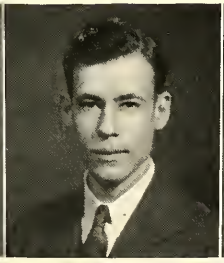
Class Sec. IV; Y.W.C.A. Cab. III, IV; C.W.B. I, II, III, IV; Foreign Vol. Band III; Peace Soc. III, Sec. IV; Summer School; Ger. Club II, III, IV; Fr. Club I, II, III, Sec. IV; Home Ec. Club II, III, IV; Audubon Soc. II, III; Avon; Maple Leaf Staff I, II, III; A Cappella Chorus I, II, III, IV; Ladies' Chorus I, II, III, IV; Class B.B. I, II, III; Lit. B.B. I, II, III.

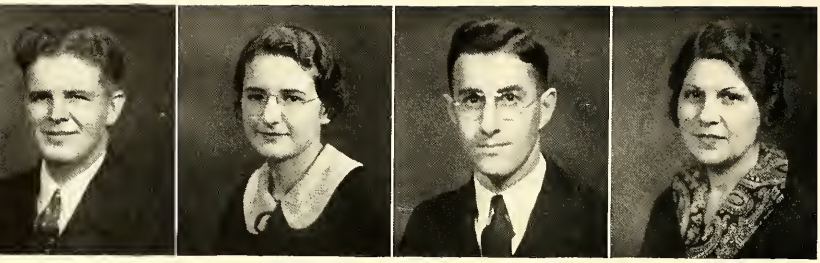
PAUL A. KAUFMAN, B.A.
Portland, Oregon
Physical Science, Mathematics
Treasurer

Why not be original? The unusual has arrested the attention of those who value variety in life. Quietness is not an indication of inactivity. When not searching for an unusual picture to take, Paul is deciding upon some unusual trick to play. He is fond of his camera, and is interested and efficient in photography. When working, he is careful, quiet, and steady—never too busy to do his best.

Plans for next year: Research Work.

Class Treas. I, IV; C.W.B. III, IV; Gospel Team IV; Ger. Club IV; Audubon Soc. III, IV; Aurora; Maple Leaf Staff II, III; Lecture Board II; A Cappella Chorus IV; Men's Chorus IV; Ath. Assoc. III; Class B.B. II, IV.





IRA AMSTUTZ, B.A.
Dalton, Ohio

Physical Science, Biological Science

Everyone delights in a jolly disposition. A smile and a cheery word are universally welcome, and especially so when founded upon genuine sincerity. Ira is continually busy, and beneath his every action may be discerned a noble character and a whole some jollity. His ready smile advertises friendliness and fills the atmosphere with good-will. Seemingly, his motto is, "To serve others"; his motive, "To enjoy life and help others to enjoy it."

Plans for next year: Teach high school.

Class Vice-Pres. II; Y.M.C.A. Cab. III, IV; C.W.B. I, II, III, IV; F.V.B. I; Gospel Team IV; Peace Soc. III, IV; Ger. Club III, Pres. IV; Audubon Soc. I, II, III, IV; Adelphian, Pres. III; Maple Leaf Staff III; Intercollegiate Debate I; Debate I; Lecture Board II; Men's Discussion Con. II; A Cappella Chorus I.

BERTIE BAER, B.A.
Hagerstown, Maryland

Bible, Social Science

Known to every college student for her unique ability to put expression into the black marks of the printed page. Smiling a smile which is hers alone, this Senior from the almost South, makes her way into the hearts of all with whom she comes in contact. Chic . . . bright . . . interesting . . . clever . . . "Infinite riches in a small room".

Plans for next year: Attend graduate school.

Class Vice-Pres. III; C.W.B. I, II, III; Fr. Club I, II; Aud. Soc. I, II, III; Vesperian, Treas. II, Vice-Pres. III; Maple Leaf Staff III; Women's Declamation II; Class B.B. I, II; Lit. B.B. II, III.

TIMOTHY BRENNEMAN, B.A.
Elida, Ohio

Biological Science, History

Not only as a student, but also as a father and friend, Tim has become a part of Goshen College. Perhaps owing to a more mature experience, he is able to attack his work with what seems a relative ease. Chorus, debate team, peace society, and gospel team have respectively yielded a place to one who manifests a desire and ability to actively participate in them.

Plans for next year: Return to college to teach and study further.

Y.M.C.A., Sec. IV; C.W.B. III; Gospel Team III, IV; Peace Soc., Vice-Pres. III, Pres. IV; Summer School III; Adelphian, Pres. IV; Intercollegiate Debate III; A Cappella Chorus III, IV; Men's Chorus III, IV.

OLGA BUERSTROM, B.S. in Ed.
Goshen, Indiana

Education, English

There are moments in the lives of each of us, when one desires the calmness and quietness exhibited in this character. Life does not rush Olga through its various stages at so rapid a pace that she misses all but the high spots. There are no duties so small that they do not merit sufficient attention required to do them well. Each separate day holds abundance in store for such a one, and her quest for knowledge will be richly rewarded.

Plans for next year: Primary teaching.

A Cappella Chorus I, II; Ladies Chorus I, II; Vesperian; B.B. I, II; Summer School III.

AGNES CRIPE, B.A.
Goshen, Indiana

Mathematics, History

What would we do without our Washingtons and our Lincolns? What would we do without our rivers and forests? What would we do without the students who attend our schools with a sincerity and a true purpose which causes them to flourish? The values hidden in attitudes desirous of receiving every benefit from the work undertaken are worthy of acknowledgement. The diligent student is appreciated, and with him rests the responsibility of the continuity of our colleges.

Plans for next year: Teaching high school.

Vesperian, Treas. III; Women's Declamation II.

JOHN DUERKSEN, B.A.
Kingman, Kansas

Bible, English

One whose major interest is founded on Christian activity, and whose desire is to further Christian principles cannot but be welcome. John's energy and perseverance quickly won for him a place on the campus, although he has been here a relatively short time. He is a kind, sympathetic, and helpful friend. Ready response and accurate performance are combined to form a worthwhile career.

Plans for next year: Post-graduate work in Bible.

Y.M.C.A. Cab. IV; C.W.B. III, Pres. IV; Gospel Team III, IV; Aurora, Critic III, Attorney IV, Record Staff III; Student Lib. Association, Pres. III; A Cappella Chorus III, Pres. IV; Men's Chorus III, Pres. IV; Men's Chorus III, Pres. IV; Music Club, Treas. IV.

RUTH EBERSOLE, B.S. in Ed.
Elkhart, Indiana

English, History

Music, art, and literature provide materials for building a most interesting life. Ruth is talented in all, and finds time and pleasure in contributing where she is able. A keen sense of beauty and color is given expression in her many drawings and paintings. What dull moments there may be in her life are wiped away by what some call "the gift of gab". Others would prefer to say "loquacity".

Plans for next year: Teaching in either elementary or high school.

Class Sec. I, III; Y.W.C.A. Cab. IV; C.W.B. III, Sec. IV; Peace Soc. III, Sec. IV; Ed. Club II, III; Fr. Club I; Audubon Soc. II, IV, Sec. III; Avon, Pres. IV, Vice-Pres. II; Maple Leaf Staff I, III; A Cappella Chorus I, II, III, Vice-Pres. IV; Ladies' Chorus I, II, III, Pres. IV; Music Club III, IV.

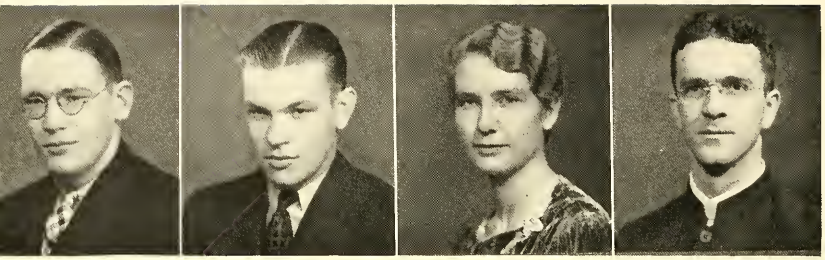
JUSTINE ENSS, B.A.
Detroit, Michigan

Music, History

Violins can speak! And when we hear, we cannot but admire the skill behind that voice which is able so readily to change our mood. We appreciate the ability to a greater degree when it is within our own group. Yet, Justine's talent does not lie alone with her music, as the basketball forward who has been guarded by her well knows. Friendliness and refinement define her character. Ambition pushes her goal always higher; and although the task of reaching it may be difficult, conscious effort must succeed.

Plans for next year: Teaching.

Class Historian I; Y.W.C.A. Cab. II; Summer School; Ger. Club I, II, IV; Home Ec. Club II; Record Staff IV; A Cappella Chorus I, II, IV; Ladies' Chorus I, II, IV; Music Club IV; Class B.B. I, II; Lit. B.B. I, II; Avon.



ALBERT ERICKSON, B.A.
Goshen, Indiana

English, History

A voice from a previous century sounds to us, "What I must do is all that concerns me, not what the people think!", and we see the statement relived in this youth of the present. Although his reserve hinders our really knowing him, we cannot fail to see these outstanding traits. That get-there determination, coupled with a will not easily bent, are characteristics well fitting his chosen profession.

Plans for next year: Uncertain.

Men's discussion contest.

HENRY ERICKSON, B.A.
Goshen, Indiana

Chemistry, Mathematics

Entertained for hours by ever changing, yet law-abiding nature, with an open mind, the impartial scientist stands ready to apply the bridle at a moment's notice. Chemicals, odors, colors, appear and disappear before his eyes, and a haze of smoke and gas penetrates the air which was originally meant for breathing. Science furnishes one of the most interesting yet strenuous lives, completely absorbing the interest of the one who knows the secrets of its mystery; and beckoning to those who would discover them. Ask Henry!

Plans for next year: Work as chemist.

Fr. Club II, III.

MARY ESCH, B.A.
Goshen, Indiana

Latin, English

Just to watch her walk or speak inspires one with the vigor which is in her possession. Mary is clever and delightfully original. It is she who can best introduce the speaker of the evening, add the necessary touches to the after-dinner program, or direct the archery meet. With poise ever at her command, Mary has served her Alma Mater capably for four years.

Plans for next year: Teaching in high school.

Y.W.C.A. Cab. III, IV; C.W.B. II, III, IV; F.V.B. II, III, IV; Ger. Club III; Vesperian, Treas. II, Critic IV, Pres. IV; Maple Leaf Staff II; Record Staff II, III; Women's Declam. II; A Cappella Chorus I, II, III; Ladies' Chorus I, II, III; Ath. Assoc., Vice-Pres. III; Class B.B. I, II, III; Lit. B.B. I, II, III, IV.

OSWIN GERBER, B.A.
Dalton, Ohio

Bible, History

Oswin believes in giving as well as taking. Besides his school work, he is occupied with a legion of tasks about the campus. Idleness is no friend of his, but he practices cheerfulness and jollity continually. Willing to do his part? Always. Complaining? Seldom. Unreasonable and over-bearing? Never. Here is a friend.

Plans for next year: Uncertain

C.W.B. I, II, III, IV; Bible Circle III, IV; Peace Soc. II; Hist. Soc. I, II, III, IV; Summer School I, II, III, IV; Ger. Club I, II; Adelphian, Vice-Pres. II, III; Student Lib. Assoc. I, II, III, IV; Men's Peace Oratorical IV; A Cappella Chorus I, IV; Men's Chorus I, IV; Ath. Assoc. I, II, III.

MARY GROVE, B.S. in Ed.
Garden City, Missouri

English, History

There is a way to master life's hardships, cares, worries and burdens. Unselfish motives and a generous spirit will reflect themselves in the deeds done every day. A motto something like Mary's "By friendly deed is friendship won", betrays the secret of a happy and interesting school life. Her friends will tell you that she is full of the life and vigor that accompanies the optimism that is hers.

Plans for next year: Teaching.

C.W.B. IV; Summer School; Avon; Record Staff IV; A Cappella Chorus IV; Ladies' Chorus, IV.

ELDA HOSTETLER, B.S. in Ed.
Harper, Kansas

Home Economics, English

It surprises us just a little that one so small possesses such a variety of qualities. It is yet more surprising to find with what great ability those qualities are caused to function, and with what results. In spite of club work, committee, chorus, and practice teaching, Elda always has time to have a bit of fun, to stop for a moment's chat, or to give suggestions to someone who needs help.

Plans for next year: Teaching.

Class Historian IV; Y.W.C.A. Cab. IV; C.W.B. IV; Peace Soc. IV; Fr. Club III; Home Ec. Club III. Pres. IV; Audubon Soc. III; Avon, Vice-Pres. IV, Critic IV; Maple Leaf staff III, A Cappella Chorus III, IV; Ladies' Chorus III, IV.

THELMA A. HOSTETLER, B.A.
Goshen, Indiana

Social Sciences, English

To be busy is a virtue. Work develops both mind and character. To use the moments, each one, before they have escaped us forever makes our lives richer and more full. The satisfaction one feels in knowing that he has utilized each hour to the best advantage is indeed great. When not occupied with secretarial tasks, Thelma is studiously applying her time to her books.

Plans for next year: Office work.

Summer School III; Home Ec. Club IV; Audubon Soc. I, II, III; Avon, Pres. IV; Record Staff I, II, III, Assoc. Editor IV; Student Lib. Assoc., Vice-Pres. III; Ath. Assoc., Vice-Pres. IV; Class B.B. I, II, III; Literary B.B. I, II, III.

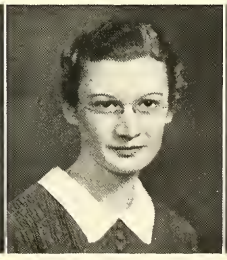
MYRTLE KOLB, B.A.
Kitchener, Ontario, Canada

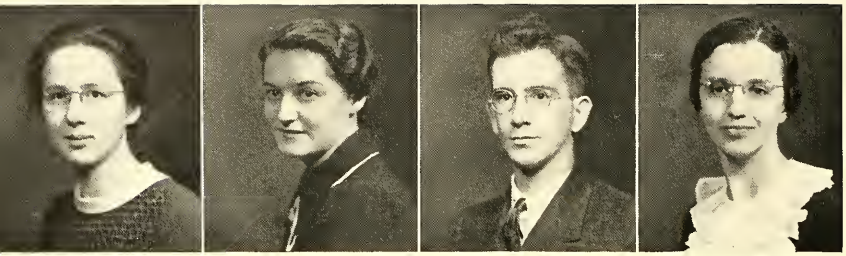
Home Economics, Bible

A foreigner and likes it! Myrtle is fond of the cold Canadian winter and prefers the cold weather in the states as well. Calm and gentle on all occasions, she is never obtrusive or out of place. One does not realize the real strength behind this personality until having worked with her. Myrtle will not refuse to do her part on the program or committee, or in any worthwhile endeavor.

Plans for next year: Dietetic work.

Y.W.C.A. Cab. III, IV; C.W.B. III, IV; Bible Circle IV; Peace Soc. IV; Historical Soc. III, IV; Fr. Club II; Home Ec. Club II, III, IV; Vesperian, Sec. III, Pres. III; Record Staff IV; Student Lib. Assoc. IV; A Cappella Chorus II, III, IV; Ladies' Chorus II, III, IV.





HARRIET LAPP, B.A.
Dhamtari, C.P., India

Bible, Biological Sciences

There are some whose characters are so sincere and noble that they would be praised were they not shielded by that modesty which permits them to remain unsung. From Harriet, you will receive comfort when discouraged, cheer when ill, and friendliness at all times. As a leader, she is capable and conscientious. To work on the foreign fields is her goal.

Plans for next year: Uncertain.

Y.W.C.A. II, III, Pres. IV; C.W.B. I, II, III, IV; Foreign Volunteer Band I, II, Sec. III, Pres. IV; Bible Circle III, IV; Fr. Club I, II; Audubon Soc. III, IV; Vesperian, Sec. II, Critic III, Pres. IV; Maple Leaf Staff, Assoc. Editor III; A Cappella Chorus I, II, IV, Vice-Pres. III; Ladies' Chorus I, II, IV, Pres. III; Music Club IV; Class B.B. I, II; Lit. B.B. I, II.

ERMA MARTIN, B.S. in Education
Minot, North Dakota

English, History

There are times to be gay and times to be serious. Controlled actions are at once distinguished and pleasing. Erma's are just that, but she takes care never to become moody. Jolly in play and diligent in work characterizes this vivacious little school teacher from the Dakota prairies. Her jolliness, thoughtfulness, and sympathy combine to make her your friend.

Plans for next year: Teaching in high school.

C.W.B. II, IV; Summer School; Audubon Soc. II, IV; Avon.

HAROLD MILLER, B.A.
Springs, Pennsylvania

Mathematics, Physical Science

It was once considered a merit to speak only when spoken to. In the loquacious present, the merit remains unchanged, but also unrecognized. At times, one is considered unsociable merely because he refrains from expressing himself. Harold is the possessor of a keen mind and uses it ably in his work upon the campus, both manual and intellectual. Industry is the keyword to success.

Plans for next year. Teaching.

C.W.B. I, II, III, IV; Foreign Vol. Band II, III, IV; Gospel Team IV; Peace Soc. IV; Fr. Club I, II, III, IV; Adelphian, Attorney IV; Record Staff IV; Men's Peace Oratorical III; Chorus I; Ath. Assoc. I, II, III, IV.

IOLA MILLER, B.A., R.N.
Shipshewana, Indiana

Bible, Biological Science

To be able to choose a noble profession is an admirable quality. To capably conduct oneself in his chosen field is yet more to be admired. When a fine Christian character, deep convictions, and a friendly willingness accompany every deed performed, one cannot hesitate to respect the dynamic which gives the results no limitation. With quiet manners and gentle speech, Iola makes known her ability as a nurse.

Plans for next year: Nursing service.

C.W.B. III, IV; Bible Circle; Peace Soc. IV; Summer School; Ger. Club IV; Vesperian.

LOIS MILLER, B.A.
Akron, Pennsylvania

English, Home Economics

Individuality in every action, word and deed! Enthusiasm for sports and a general good time. Ability in music, literature and entertainment! Frankness of expression and speech! These are the things that make Lois a congenial friend in whose company one seldom tires. Equally capable of expressing disgust and pleasure, she is seldom discouraged. Her varied talents show individuality and orginality at all times.

Plans for next year: Homekeeping.

Class Historian III; C.W.B. III; Ger. Club III, IV; Home Ec. Club I, II, III, Vice-Pres. IV; Audubon Soc. II, III; Vesperian; Maple Leaf Staff III; Record Staff II; Women's Declam. III; A Cappella Chorus I, II, IV; Ladies' Chorus I, II, IV.

VERNON MILLER, B.A.
Millersburg, Ohio

Social Science, French

When you see the spring in his tread; when you observe that broad and muscular shoulder, you at once recognize the athlete. But mere observation is not acquaintance. His face spells optimism. His pleasing personality is not hid from those who know him. He is valued alike on the basketball floor, in the classroom, and at social functions. Someone has described Vernon as "robust, athletic, and warm-hearted".

Plans for next year: Teaching high school.

Gospel Team IV; Fr. Club II, III, IV; Audubon Soc. III, IV; Aurora, Treas. III, Vice-Pres. IV; Record Staff II, III, IV; Student Lib. Assoc. III; Men's Chorus I, II, III, IV; A Cappella Chorus I, II, III, IV; Ath. Assoc., Pres. III, IV; Athletics, Class B.B., Track I, II, III, IV, Lit. B.B., Baseball, Softball I, II, III, IV.

ELIZABETH ROYER, B.A.
Orrville, Ohio

English, Education

If much speaking makes the genius, then Elizabeth is the genius. Classroom, campus, dormitory, all can identify without hesitation her fun-loving chuckle, which is often used to enliven the party or gathering. Her optimistic smile accompanies the performance of every task, whether academic or extra-curricular. Studious, ambitious, capable, she used her loquacity ever to the best advantage. Her dark brown eyes have also been known to speak.

Plans for next year: Teaching.

Class Sec. I; Y.W.C.A. Sec. II, Cab. III, IV; C.W.B. Sec. III; Foreign Volunteer Band, Sec-Treas. IV; Summer School; Ed. Club I, II, III, IV; Ger. Club III, IV; Fr. Club I, II, III; Audubon Soc. I, II, III, IV; Vesperian, Treas. II, Critic IV; Vice-Pres. III; Record Staff IV; A Cappella Chorus I, II, III, IV; Ladies' Chorus I, II, III, IV.

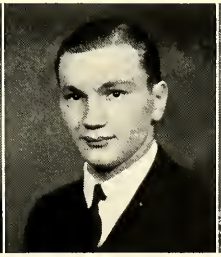
HAROLD SCHROCK, B.A.
Goshen, Indiana

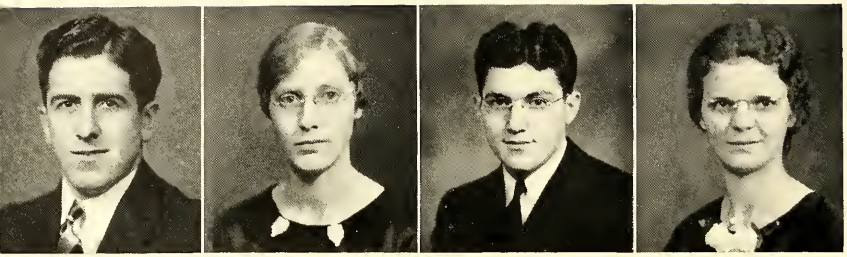
Economics, History

What's wrong with today? It is by living a day at a time that the greatest results are realized. Each minute can be enjoyed if utilized properly. Cheerfulness, diligence, and steady work finally plant us where we desire to be. Achievement gained by conscious effort, rewards us with a feeling of satisfaction. Living each day as it comes, Harold crosses his bridges when he comes to them, and never before.

Plans for next year: Business.

Class Treas. I; Audubon Soc. II; Aurora, Sec. II; Intercollegiate Debate I.





MILTON SLAGEL, B.A.
Flanagan, Illinois

Chemistry, Mathematics

A combination of wit, good humor, and industry lends itself well to the development of the four-square individual. Ready wit gives flavor to the routine about us; good-humor adds to our list of friends, and industry stears us to a certain goal. When looking for "Jake", you will probably find him in or about the chemistry laboratory. He is another who has been captivated by the enticing call of science which, once having gained the interest of a person, makes an honest endeavor to keep it.

Plans for next year: Post-graduate study.

Summer School, II; Aurora.

MAUDE SWARTZENDRUBER, B.S. in Ed., R.N.
LaJunta, Colorado

Biological Science, Education

Maude can best be described as a tall, quiet, pleasant nurse. Serious? Not always. It is true, she is reserved and quiet, but has always a spark of fun for the right moment. She does not confine her interest to the classroom, but looks to the nursing field as her future work. With her experience and ability, she has in her possession a fund of information which will not fail her.

Plans for next year: Industrial Nursing (teaching and supervising).

Audubon Soc. IV; Vesperian; A Cappella Chorus IV; Ladies' Chorus IV.

FRANCIS TROYER, B.A.
Shipshewana, Indiana

Biological Science, Physical Science

Everyone has a philosophy of life, but few have the courage to express it. Francis has a bit of philosophy for every occasion. His clearly defined personality is printed on his every act. Working or playing, his jolly mood is uppermost, and quickly spreads to those about him. His boundless energy has won for him his responsible position in the senior class. It is unanimously agreed that Francis is a jolly good fellow.

Plans for next year: Medical school.

C.W.B. I, II, III; Summer School III; Ed. Club I; Ger. Club III, IV; Audubon Soc. I, II, III, Vice-Pres. IV; Aurora, Vice-Pres. IV; Record Staff III, IV; Debate II; Collegiate Chorus, Pres. IV; Class B.B. III, IV.

ESTHER WIDMER, B.A., R.N.
Wayland, Iowa

Biological Science, German

This senior, also a nurse, has brought something of the peacefulness of the wide prairies and open skies with her from her mid-western home. She accomplishes whatever she attempts without commotion, and her work is evident without her trying to make it so. One taste of Esther's rare humor, which only shows itself when least expected, and you have become acquainted with her.

Plans for next year: Nursing.

C.W.B. III, IV; Ger. Club III, IV; Vesperian, Vice-Pres. IV; Lecture Board IV; Women's Discussion III.

RICHARD YODER, B.A.
West Liberty, Ohio

Physical Science, Biological Science

Life is most generous with those who know how to take what it has to offer. More than drudging, toil is necessary to appreciate the highest goals. Good will, friendliness, and smiles pave the way to success and make the task of living lighter. Smiles, like echoes, must return, and in so doing, enrich the lives of all with whom we contact. Ask Dick how it's done!

Plans for next year: Medical school.

Y.M.C.A. Cab. III, IV; C.W.B. I, II, III, IV; Gospel Team II, III, IV; Peace Soc. III, IV; Historical Soc. III; Summer School; Ger. Club II, III, IV; Audubon Soc. IV; Aurora, Treas. III, Vice-pres. III, Pres. IV; Maple Leaf Staff III, Intercollegiate Debate I; Debate I; A Cappella Chorus I, II, III, IV; Men's Chorus I, II, III, IV; Class B.B. IV.

DELMER YODER, B.S. in Ed.
Sugar Creek, Ohio

Biological Science, History

Silence speaks for itself. Not a book worm, but an industrious student, Delmer is persistent in his efforts to accomplish whatever he has begun. We cannot doubt that his purpose is worthy and will be gained by his constancy of effort. All on the campus know Delmer's characteristic swinging gait. Those who are best acquainted with him, know that he loves fun with the rest. It is only his reserve which prevents the most of us from knowing him well.

Plans for next year: Teaching.
Summer School, Aurora.

DWIGHT YODER, B.A.
Bellefontaine, Ohio

Physical Science, Biological Science

Dignity of carriage is an indication of true dignity of character. To run when one can walk is wasteful of energy. There may be many things which must be done, yet, we have all the time there is. Dwight has shown us that order and business have their place in every phase of activity. Efficient leadership, sincerity, calmness, and diligence will all be necessary parts of a successful medical career.

Plans for next year: High school teaching.

Class Pres. II, III; Y.M.C.A. Cab. III, Pres. IV; C.W.B. II, III, IV; Gospel Team IV; Peace Soc. III, IV; Summer School II; Aurora, Pres. IV; Pub. Chairman II, IV; Record Staff II, III; Intercollegiate Debate I, II, III, IV; Debate I, II; Men's Discussion III; A Cappella Chorus, I, II, Bus. Mgr. III, IV; Men's Chorus I, II, Bus. Mgr. III, IV.

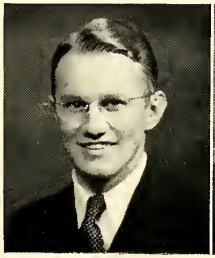
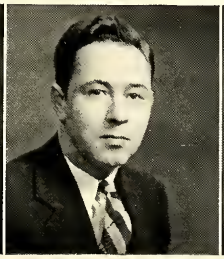
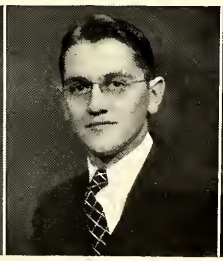
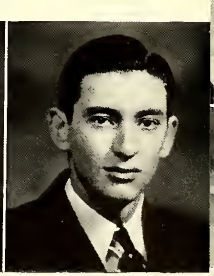
LYLE YOST, B.A.
Hesston, Kansas

Economics, Physical Science

"May I have a ticket on your train of thought?" The reserve and taciturnity which characterize Lyle's manner, cause one to wonder what he is thinking about at times. Correct in speech, and quick in action, he is equally at home on the platform and the basketball floor. Multiplicity of talent increases the value of service; and quiet endeavor will lead to positive accopmlishment.

Plans for next year: Business.

Y.M.C.A. Cab. IV; Audubon Soc. II, III, IV; Aurora, Treas. II, Attorney IV; Maple Leaf Staff III; Intercollegiate Debate II; Debate II; A Cappella Chorus II, III, IV; Men's Chorus II, III, IV; Ath. Assoc. Sec.-Treas. III; Class B.B. II, III, IV; Lit. B.B., Baseball II, III, IV.

class history 1933-1936

September, 1933, found seventy freshmen ready to begin college life at Goshen College. One of the memorable events of those first days was the party which the Juniors gave us in the gymnasium. After becoming accustomed to college life we chose the following class officers: David Miller, president; Walter Parsons, vice-president; Elizabeth Royer, secretary; Harold Schrock, treasurer; and Martha Plank, historian. Dean Bender was elected sponsor for the class. Brown and gold were selected for the class colors; the marigold, the class flower; and "Sincerity, Simplicity, and Service", the class motto. The class was quite successful in interclass contests. The debaters won the Freshman-Sophomore debate and the basketball teams placed second in the basketball league.

During our sophomore year, we had the following class officers: president, Dwight Yoder; vice-president, Ira Amstutz; secretary, Lorene Rocke; treasurer, William Friesen. Dean Bender was again elected sponsor. The class membership declined to fifty. The memories of this year include a "weenie" roast and several cabin parties. In intramural debating, our debaters won over the Freshman A team, but lost to the B team. The basketball team placed second in the Round Robin and fourth in the tournament.

Thirty-six of our class returned for the junior year. The officers for the year were: Dwight Yoder, president; Charles Kreider, vice-president; Ruth Ebersole, secretary; James Brenneman, treasurer; Lois Miller, historian; Dean Bender, sponsor. The memories of the year include a corn roast at Wolf Lake, an informal party at Ruth Ebersole's home, and an after-dinner program portraying the life of Richard Wagner. In inter-class basketball competition, the class placed second in both the Round Robin and tournament.

seniors

meditation

Four years—for what? To escape the workaday world of the farm, the factory, or the common task? Yes, for a brief period, but—we may return there yet. These four years must have been for more than that.

Four years spent to learn how to finance a corporation, to become financially independent, or to become divorced from the worries of a substantial existence? Possibly that was once our motive, but it is improbable now. Goshen College has given us far better motives and ideals.

Four years spent in learning to live for God and our fellowmen? Yes, that has been our aim. We did not arrive at such a lofty aim by ourselves, but—a consecrated faculty's faithful service, the inspiration of earnest fellow students—these have led us toward such a goal.

Four years to learn the significance of a motto: "Simplicity, Sincerity, and Service"? Yes, and with a humble sense of satisfaction we look to the future with faith and hope.

—Charles Kreider, President

class of nineteen thirty-eight

Motto: "No Victory Without Labor."
Colors: maroon and white; class flower: the rose.

The class of 1938 discovered during this year that quantity is far less important than quality. Although class membership declined from eighty to thirty, the smaller number seemed to increase class spirit and make everyone feel more at home at the numerous class events.

The first party of the year was held in Shoup's woods. After consuming great quantities of wieners and all the necessary accompaniments, every member became better acquainted with everyone else present. Watermelon and harmony around the campfire ended the evening's entertainment. The class presented a unique after dinner program in the fall. It was in the form of a mock trial; the case was "John Coffman versus the People". John Friesen acted as judge while Waldo Lehman was the victim under question. The jury fell asleep and the case was never settled. Showing a forgiving spirit, the Juniors entertained the Seniors when they came back from "Sneak Day". Cookies and hot chocolate were served in the Home Economics rooms and the proverbial "good time had by all" was certainly true. A week before hallowe'en, the class went to Ruth Buzzard's home on Friday night. Soapy handshakes and grinning goblins greeted the guests. At Homecoming all old members of the class met at one long table in the annex. Here, school teachers and students, told experiences of the year. It was decided to make this reunion an annual affair. The weather man was partial to the class, for he sent snow in time for the between-semester party. A large sleigh carried the class to Raymond Yoder's home where hot chili was served. January twenty-first found the Juniors assembled at a table in the dining hall again, this time to bid farewell to Deliliah Roth.

Besides these numerous social functions and good times, the class has been prominent in other campus activities. Small in number but great in spirit the class has had a truly successful year.

—Lois Yoder

juniors

class officers

WALDO LEHMAN

Goshen, Indiana

President

Is it for pleasure that Waldo is always on the "go"? Decidedly not! Although we know it to be impossible, he seems at times to be at two or three places in the same moment. Always in the act of accomplishing some constructive task, his ambition is as tireless as his capacity is without bounds. His debating skill contributes largely to the forensic influence of the college.

JOHN FRIESEN

Dhamtari, C.P., India

Vice-President

Yes, he is "Bill's" brother! And he sings low bass also. It is a voice typical of the life he lives—deep and conscientious, with a definite purpose to live a life of service. Perhaps he looks serious. Just tell him a good joke and test his sense of humor. His artistic abilities are an indication of an appreciation for the finer things of life.

LOIS YODER

Hubbard, Oregon

Secretary

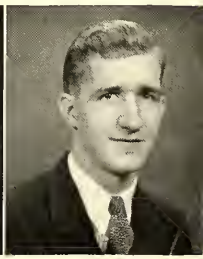
There is always a mania for "things", but when we find one who places character first; whose ideals will not be injured; and to whom duty has a definite meaning, we also discover something more valuable than any "thing". For Lois, idleness has lost all attraction, and work has become as sustenance. She also possess a most hearty laugh.

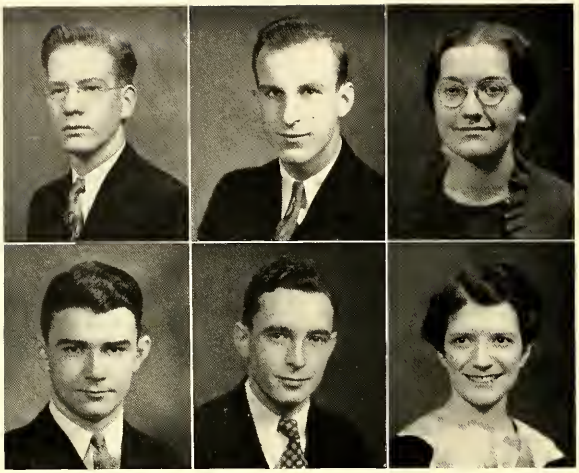
EMANUEL HERTZLER

Norristown, Pennsylvania

Treasurer

Someone was needed to serve on a committee; someone was needed to make a speech in literary or devotional; someone was needed to take charge of a meeting; someone is always needed to fill positions with responsibility and ability. We need not search far for these qualities, for they are present in our own group. "Hertz" has them.





ALVIN BLOUGH

Holsopple, Pennsylvania

Much could be said about ambitions (he aspires to become a teacher of physics and mathematics), about disposition (we all know he is friendly and deliberate), about age status (for he is the baby of the class), but let us conclude with the mere suggestion of a Ford He has one.

MAURICE BOSHART

Goshen, Indiana

We entered the hall and were ushered to our seats. This was reality. In less than fifteen minutes, we were transferred into an idealistic realm created for us by masters of the past and present. It was the year 1950, and we were listening to the little symphony orchestra directed by Maurice Boshart.—Here's to our musical member.

RUTH BUZZARD

Goshen, Indiana

From somewhere near issued the unmistakable sounds of genuine mirth. Nor was it a solo, but a regular chorus of laughter. Behind a mask of mock severity, Ruth, in her unburied droll, was using her ability to tell a joke to hypnotize her audience. Her keen wit, her originality, and her leadership abilities are invaluable.

LELAND BYLER

Goshen, Indiana

Personality plus ability—that's Leland. His ability as a cornetist has won for him a score of friends, at Goshen College and in surrounding communities. His leadership qualities make him an asset to any group. Pleasing personalities such as Leland's aren't to be found just everywhere.

LLOYD CONRAD

Louisville, Ohio

As the tree pushes its roots through the soil, so the intellect must force its way into the ground of knowledge in order to live and continue its growth. The deeper and firmer the roots, the larger and more fruitful are the results. So it is with the diligent mind. Lloyd has always appeared the faithful scholar.

PRUDENCE ERNE

Elkhart, Inidana

"Prudy" has proved to be a bright sunbeam on our campus, and she has won many friends by her cheery self; she always seems to see the sunny side of everything. She is sincere, holds high ideals, is gay, always finds time and is willing to help wherever she can. We have certainly found it true that, "Good things come in small packages."

ALTA GOOD

Rantoul, Illinois

In this school teacher from Illinois, we have a pleasing personality of pep, joviality, and good nature, combined with such dignity and poise as to make her a valuable asset to the Junior Class. She is capable and dependable in all her tasks. She has proved herself a successful teacher and an efficient typist.

RALPH GREENER

Post Arthur, Texas

He's interesting, bringing with him a store of experiences from his south western home, and from his travels. He's energetic, exhibiting agile ability on the basketball floor, which serves as a retreat from the routine of studies. He s a pleasant companion, always appearing jovial and carefree.

JOHN HARTZLER

Tiskilwa, Illinois

An ambitious and efficient student who left the ranks of school teaching to finish with the class of '38. John has proved himself an efficient shirt factory salesman. He possesses a radiating personality that wins for him many lasting friends. No task is too difficult for him to attempt, and no favor to great to grant. The class regrets that illness made it necessary for him to leave during the second semester.

MARGARET HARTZLER

Goshen, Indiana

Life with all its worries cannot make some people gloomy. To see Margaret without a smile on her face would be most unusual. If she has any troubles, we are never permitted to see them. They are carefully covered by a bright and cheery exterior. Her optimistic temperament will be valuable in her teaching profession.

DON KREIDER

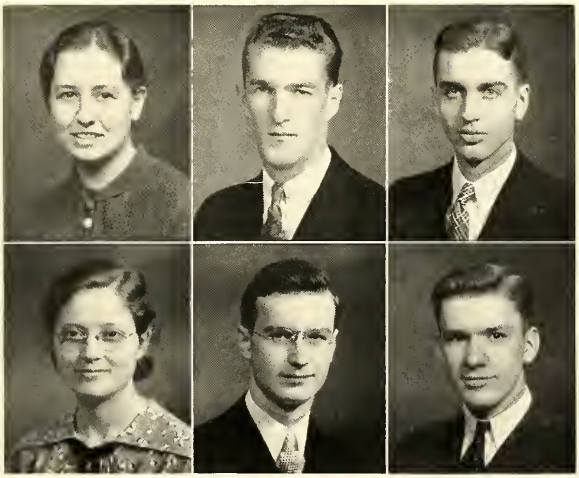
Wadsworth, Ohio

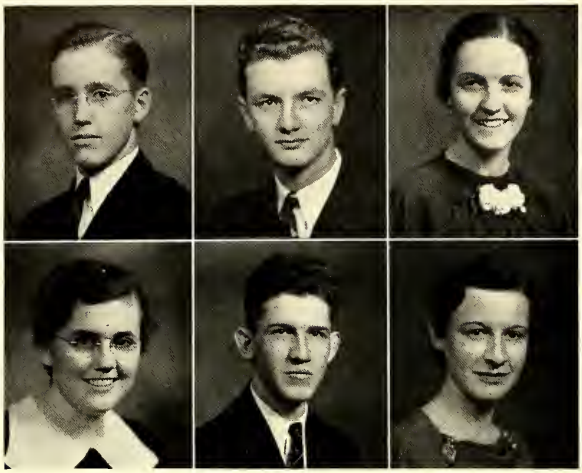
Efficiency, precision, energy. These are the materials at work before us, molding the successful business man of the future. His characteristic, hurried stride is in perfect harmony with his energetic bearing. Debate, oratory, and speech offer a means of expression for a superior talent. In description, one might say, "professional".

CLYDE MILLER

Springs, Pennsylvania

Did you ever see him in a hurry? Calm, persevering, industrious, he goes about his work on the campus with a serenity which defies time and care. Clyde likes to add his bit to group discussions, and is well able to do so. His studies and work consume the bulk of his time.





S. PAUL MILLER

Garden City, Missouri

Determination seems to accompany Paul in whatever he does. One sees it as he crosses the campus, enters the classroom, or merely while he is studying. He is generally fun-loving and is able to appreciate a good joke. One sometimes mistakes his mood by the serious expression with which his face is masked.

CHARLES NEFF

Chicago, Illinois

Where there is a group gathering or party to be planned, Charles has a store of invaluable ideas which, colored with initiative, are absolutely dependable. Under his direction, we may be sure they will be successfully carried out. Always friendly and sociable, he, nevertheless, maintains a rather quiet and unobtrusive attitude.

WINIFRED NELSON

Newaygo, Michigan

There's fun just around the corner—if Winnie is there. She has an anecdote for every occasion and a delightful manner of presenting it which leaves no one without a smile, if not a hearty laugh. Spreading cheer with her fun-loving disposition, she, nevertheless, is willing and capable of mastering her share of responsibility.

THELMA OYER

Roanoke, Illinois

Never idle, Thelma pursues her work with a seriousness all her own. Her tasks each have a meaning to her, and she strives to make every minute count in reaching the best results. Her character radiates something fine and stabilizing to her associates, which makes them selfishly seek her friendship for the help they derive from it.

ROBERT REIST

Falfurrias, Texas

Here is a true gentleman, always maintaining poise and real dignity. He is calm, reserved and deep. His opinions, which he hesitates to reveal, are always valuable. Interested in science, he is a man of precision and keen observation. His accuracy and sound judgment will win for him a responsible position in scientific fields.

DELILAH ROTH

San Antonio, Texas

When East meets West! There are those who come many miles, answering the call of the institution of learning. Well read and experienced, "Dee" is a most interesting person with whom to converse. Her very distinct speech, and well modulated tone, sparkle with interest. Education and understanding make this personality valuable.

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VERA MAE ROTH

San Antonio, Texas

Friendly and fun-loving is this Texas lass. Always in a jovial and happy state of mind—"Laugh and the world laughs with with you—Sigh and you sigh alone." Her gay manner can be replaced by a more serious mood when the occasion demands. Her presence in the group is always appreciated; her absence noticed. She has deep and worthwhile interests.

MYRTLE SCHNELL

Orrville, Ohio

As a breeze cools the brow on a hot summer day, so a quiet well-poised life refreshes the individual that contacts it. Myrtle gets a great deal done in a quiet unassuming way. She has a deep interest in intellectual things. It is one of her chief delights to hold a conversation in French, whether the other individual is able to understand it or not! May your sweet disposition ever be your biggest charm.

LUTHER SHETLER

Goshen, Indiana

Although he has been with us for three years, very few of us can boast intimate acquaintance with him. There are those who thrust themselves upon us and monopolize our attention, while others, more worthy of note perhaps, are wisely applying themselves to their tasks. These are the ones who finally attain their goal.

IRA SMUCKER

Smithville, Ohio

Although Ira has been with us only a short time, we have caught a glimpse of his friendly, happy-go-lucky manner. He has a variety of interests: teaches physical education at Chandler, once attended Bethany Seminary, and has acted as a traveling delicatessen while touring Florida. Basketball holds a special attraction for him. He is jolly, congenial and seldom worried.

EVA STOUFFER

Wadsworth, Ohio

Faithfully performed duties, together with loyalty and trust-worthiness are qualities ever in demand. Eva undertakes her tasks quietly, capably, and with sincerity. Ready to do her part and dependable in all that is undertaken, it is a pleasure to accept the services she offers. It is a virtue to know that time is valuable and is to be used to the best advantage.

LOTUS TROYER

Middlebury, Indiana

One must know "Corky" to appreciate the active keenness of his personality. His good will is reflected by the sincere expression constantly spread over his features. Watch him play ball, and you will realize his worth to the team. He is not prone to needlessly give expression to his thoughts, especially to those with whom he is not well acquainted.

PHILLIP YODER

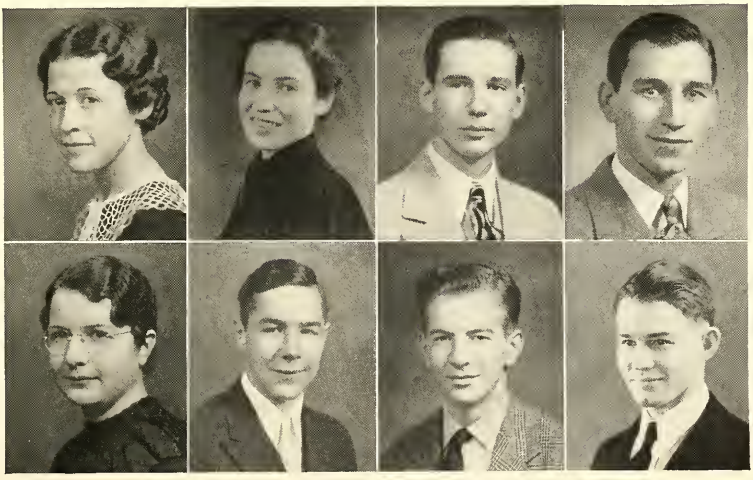
Goshen, Indiana

Critical? Yes, just a little. Yet, criticism, when founded upon a background of thought and experience, is not to be taken lightly. Endowed with the ability to criticise, Phil believes in using it. Neat, well-dressed, and manners to match, he returns to Goshen after spending a year at Ann Arbor, Michigan.

RAYMOND YODER

Goshen, Indiana

"There's gold in them thar hills," and there's something just as precious in honest effort. Ray exposes his energy and ambition by showing his interest in the literary societies of Indiana, among which he has spent considerable time. Showing so calm an exterior, one is almost startled when confronted with Ray's dry humor.



class history 1934-36

September 1934, found one hundred and seven of us gathered on the campus from all parts of the country. We were not long strangers as such events as the "Get-Acquainted Social" soon made us feel at home. Our faculty committee (Dr. Paul Bender, Professor Smith and Miss Royer) delightfully entertained us at our first party. In the beginning of November, we organized our class, electing as officers: Don Kreider, president; Maurice Burkholder, vice-president; Olive Yoder, secretary; Beulah Troyer, treasurer; and Emanuel Hertzler, historian. Paul Bender was chosen class sponsor. The class was successful in interclass contests. Our "A" team lost to the sophomores while the "B" team won in the interclass debates. In athletics, we were more successful. The basketball team tied for third in the Round Robin but took all honors in the tournament. The women's team had little trouble in gaining first place.

Some of our class did not return the following year and consequently the size of the class decreased from one hundred seven to eighty. However, the class was the largest ever enrolled as sophomores. At the first meeting of the class, the following officers were elected: president, Charles Neff; vice-president, Harry Lapp; secretary, Elizabeth Sieber; treasurer, Don Kreider; Historian, Emanuel Hertzler. In January, the unusually cold weather, a bright moon, and an abundance of snow suggested a sleighing party. Three sleigh-loads of Sophomores serenaded the surrounding countryside. Hot soup and a warm dining hall climaxed the evening. Leap year suggested an original "Backwards Party", which was held between semesters. Everything was completely topsy-turvy during the evening.

Our representatives in interclass activities were very successful. The men's and women's basketball teams and the debating squad had little trouble in gaining honors for the class. The men's and women's basketball teams placed first in both the Round Robin and tournament. All three of our debate teams won over the freshman teams.

juniors

in the future

To see college students grow is the chief compensation of the college teacher, for only when this happens is his work fulfilling its purpose. The class of 1938 has been a particularly interesting example of such growth. Students have grown in the appreciation and use of their own assets: their time, their capabilities, and their energies. As their knowledge has broadened they have found their fields of interest and are directing their attentions to what will be their life interests. Their characters have developed: Christian principles have become deeply rooted as convictions and the outlook on life has become stabilized. May this growth be richly augmented as the class goes through its fourth year of college, and may it bear fruit in a long and useful life.

—Paul Bender, Sponsor

class of nineteen thirty-nine

Motto: "He Conquers Who Endures."
Colors: scarlet and gray; class flower: yellow tea rose.

September a year ago, ninety-three students entered the college halls and there found a welcome to join the educational pursuits in progress. The class represented nine states—and boasted one student from Germany. With the aid of the faculty and upper classmen, we soon "felt at home" on the campus. After a few weeks, a special committee drew up a constitution and the class was formally organized. The following were elected: Leland Byler, president; Harvey Hunsberger, vice-president; Naomi Hoylman, secretary; May Rohrer, treasurer; Ruth King, historian; and Miss Shenk, faculty advisor. At the same time the class colors, flower and motto were chosen. Baseball, basketball, and other sports were entered wholeheartedly by both men and women. Three teams among the men were active in interclass debating. Several men became members of the intercollegiate squad. The freshmen forensic contests were contests in every sense of the word. During the year the class enjoyed several socials. The finest of these was the last—the Class Day Outing, which was held at Camp Mack on Lake Waubee.

"Last year we were ninety-three;
This year we're seventy-two;
But we're all sophomores, through and through".

September, 1936, our class, or most of it, again assembled on the campus. It is true that we came here to receive benefits, but we believed that we have been able to contribute to college life in some ways.

Among our prominent musicians are: Robert Hippensteel, violin; Francis Smucker, voice; Mae Orendorff, piano and voice; and Maurice Burkholder, voice. Seventeen of our number are members of the chorus. In athletics also we made a goodly showing. The Sophomore boys stood at the head of the basketball league, having no defeats. In debate our team made a worthy contribution—nothing spectacular but worthy of mention. Falls Hershey won

sophomores

the annual Peace Oratorial contest and will represent the college at Taylor University. Edward Belan won the annual Discussion Contest for men.

During the year several parties were enjoyed. The skating party at the dam will "stand" mention because many of us "sat" a number of times. At these parties we developed deeper appreciation for each other.

This year thirty-five of the elementary teachers will leave our Alma Mater in search of teaching positions. Thus we go on—each carving his own small place in the world. In this place we will always have the past to remember—a past filled with happy memories.

—Martha King

class officers

FALLS HERSHEY

Chicago, Illinois

President

That external mask of unconcern and disinterest is very deceiving until one actually catches a glimpse of the activity of mind which is Hershey's. His talents are numerous. A brilliant debater and a ready orator, a capable leader, and a star athlete, he finds a place for himself upon our campus.

FRANK BYLER

West Liberty, Ohio

Vice-President

In work, in study, and in practice teaching, Frank exhibits his industrious nature. Although his time is divided between business and education, he has a will to accomplish his desired end. That cordial smile and ready word of friendliness make his presence desirable.

RUTH KING

West Liberty, Ohio

Secretary

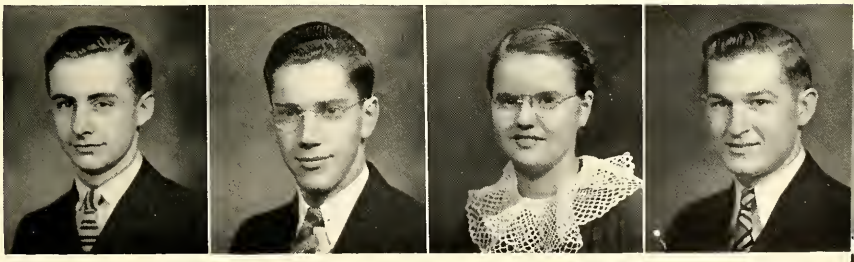
In daily life, we see Ruth as a noble Christian character, an earnest worker, and a diligent student. Her sunny disposition and friendly smile, always ready to assert itself, gain for her many lasting friends. Her duties and tasks receive whole-hearted devotion, throughout the hours of the day.

MAURICE BURKHOLDER

Nampa, Idaho

Treasurer

His presence demands attention! With towering stature and distinctive voice, he stands out from among his fellow students. His cheerfulness and merry conversation have a tendency to captivate those with whom he comes into contact, and retain them in an atmosphere of genuine happiness.



Eunice L.Albrecht, Tiskilwa, Ill.

Leland A. Bachman, Morton, Ill.

David O. Bechtel, Goshen, Ind., (not on panel)

Edward S. Belan, Chicago, Ill.

Bessie H. Benell, Minot, N. D.

Dora E. Bigler, Elkhart, Ind.

Minnie M. Bittinger, Springs, Penna.

Howard R. Blosser, Columbiana, Ohio

Robert E. Brenneman, Elida, Ohio

Richard L. Brenneman, Elida, Ohio

James B. Brown, Elkhart, Ind. (not on panel)

Mary K. Brown, Stone Creek, Ohio

Samuel J. Bucher, Dallastown, Penna.

Ruth Chamberlin, Nappanee, Ind.

LaVerne E. Christner, Minier, Ill.

Sarah N. Christophel, Goshen, Ind.

Ruth Duerksen, Kingman, Kans. (not on panel)

Velma K. Emmert, Goshen, Ind.

Irene A. Grabill, Goshen, Ind.

Corona M. Haarer, Shipshewana, Ind.

Gladys L. Hershberger, Nappanee, Ind.

Kathryn E. Hershberger, Decatur, Ill.

Virginia M. Hiatt, Elkhart, Ind.

Robert E. Hippensteel, Goshen, Ind.

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Harvey S. Hunsberger, Wadsworth, Ohio

Clair Kauffman, Goshen, Ind.

Martha C. King, West Liberty, Ohio

Nola I. Krabill, Louisville, Ohio

Viola A. Krabill, Louisville, Ohio

Howard L. Kulp, Fricks, Penna. (not on panel)

Parke D. Lantz, Syracuse, Ind.

Flossie Lehman, North Lima, Ohio

Kathryn E. Lehman, Columbiana, Ohio

Marybelle Lentz, Milford, Ind.

Georgia E. Loucks, Scottdale, Pa.

Betty J. Marshall, West Liberty, Ohio

Floyd H. Miller, Louisville, Ohio

Helen L. Miller, Shipshewana, Ind.

Roscoe Miller, Sugar Creek, Ohio

Wilma I. Miller, Archbold, Ohio

Dorsa J. Mishler, LaGrange, Ind.

Dwayne Nelson, Newaygo, Mich.

Mae M. Orendorff, Flanagan, Ill.

Gwendoline L. Orn, Milford, Ind.

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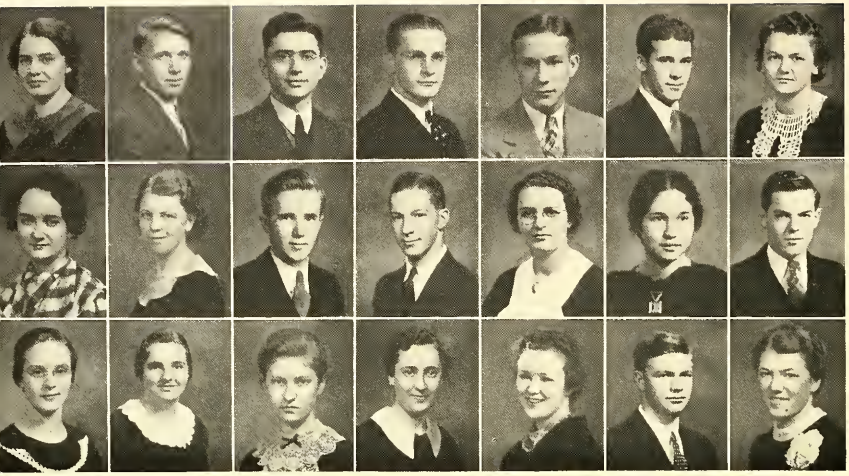


Grace L. Sawyer, Elkhart, Ind.

Vernon H. Schmidt, Harper, Kans.

Ezra W. Shenk, Goshen, Ind.

George E. Smith, Ashley, Mich.

Francis W. Smucker, Orrville, Ohio

Harold W. Stutzman, Wenatchee, Wash.

Ardis C. Thornton, Elkhart, Ind.

Betty T. Trump, Goshen, Ind.

Elizabeth L. Weaver, Goshen, Ind.

Dale C. Wenger, South English, Iowa

Dwight Weldy, Wakarusa, Ind.

Ruth A. Whirledge, Syracuse, Ind.

Carrie A. Yoder, Hutchinson, Ind.

Donald S. Yoder, Elkhart, Ind.

F. Genevieve Yoder, Topeka, Ind.

Ethel M. Yoder, Middlebury, Ind.

Gladys B. Yoder, Surrey, N. D.

Ethel M. Yordy, Eureka, Ill.

Fern A. Zehr, Flanagan, Ill.

Elwood Ziegler, Leetonia, Ohio

Vida L. Zuercher, Dalton, Ohio

sophomores

in retrospect

It is with a peculiar feeling of pleasant pain that most of us view the approach of another commencement week. In common with seventy other sophomores, I stand beside the second milestone in our college careers and looking back count among our most prized possessions, not knowledge, not achievement, but rather the growth in understanding and appreciation of each other, or our church and of Truth. We are reminded again that knowledge of itself is sterile, that education is not an achievement but an instrument.

—Falls Hershey, President

class of nineteen forty

Motto: "Rowing Not Drifting."
Colors: blue and gold; class flower: yellow American beauty rose.

It was early in September that we met as one hundred and twenty new students on the campus of Goshen College. Our stay has been characterized by new experiences, beginning with the first afternoon, when we were taken on an inspection tour through the various buildings on the campus. The following day, being Registration Day, we were directed to the offices of the Dean, the Registrar, the President, and last but not least, to the office of the Business Manager. The Freshman Social in Kulp Hall brought to our attention the talent of the individual members of our class. Thus far we have been rather successful in the interclass contests. In forensics, we won a special distinction by winning both the Freshmen-Sophomore debates. In fact, several of our debaters became members of the intercollegiate squad. We have not been unusually successful in basketball, but our teams have acquitted themselves very well.

During the first semester a committee with Virgil Gerig as its chairman presided over our activities. At the beginning of the second semester our class was definitely organized, the constitution was adopted and the officers were elected. Dr. Miller was elected class sponsor.

We threw off the cloak of dignity at the "Snowbound" party in the Gym and, after spending a delightful evening, we were bound together with a unity of good-will.

—Richard Culp

freshmen

The members of the freshmen class as shown in the upper picture on the opposite page are, reading from left to right: top row: Horace Hollar, Jesse Cripe, Dorsey Eash, Orville Gunden, Hallet Foster, Herbert Clipp, Paul Conrad, Leonard Lehman, Robert Gongwer, Howard Albrecht, Robert Albrecht, Fred Blosser, David Bender, William Allen; second row: Jasper Goodman, Robert LaMar, Mark Hartzler, Haidie Enss, Viola Good, Elsie Eash, Ella Mae Hooley, Margaret Bauer, Marie Hooley, Thelma Hostetler, Beth Biggs, Audrey Harrington, Mary Cathcart, Doris Kauffman, Paul Eimen, Virgil Gerig, Lawrence Burkholder; third row: Richard Culp, Warren Detweiler, Franklin Bishop, Goldie Gerber, Edna Brenneman, Viola Burck, Alvera Blough, Elta Holaway, Eileen Bachman, Edna Hostetler, Helen Harper, Frances Barnard, Beth Carpenter, George Hooley, Titus Gerber. In the lower picture, reading from left to right: top row: Roy Yoder, John Smucker, Carl Stutzman, Carl Miller, Floyd Shore, Owen Martin, Herbert Ripley, Quentin Yoder, James Watson, Robert Walter, Gordon Staub, Glen Schrock, Verl Lehman, Maurice Weldy, J. Artley Leatherman, Russell Wright, Maynard Stutzman, Leonard Troyer, Steve Pustay, Alpheus Mast, Clifford Yoder, Orville Roth; second row: Gerhard Wegner, Robert Zarske, Priscilla Kelly, Pauline Liechty, Anna Wenger, Marie Ramseyer, Eunice Schrock, Aldine Yordy, Ruth Sieber, Esther Troyer, Geneva Stamm, LaVerne Wenger, Rachel Moyer, Dorothy Mast, Marie Kauffman, Geraldine Stiver, Margaret Stump, Mary Shenk, Agnes Spurgeon, Mary Welty, Rita Pletcher; third row: Lillian Kissinger, Mary Sutter, Elizabeth Plank, Margaret Swope, Grace Weaver, Kathleen Zehr, Pearl Miller, Leatha Richard, Katherine A. Miller, Ruth Schmidt, Helen Phillips, Esther Miller, Vivian Lehman, Edith King, Elaine Plank, Marjory Yoder, Kathryn Yoder, Doris Wade.

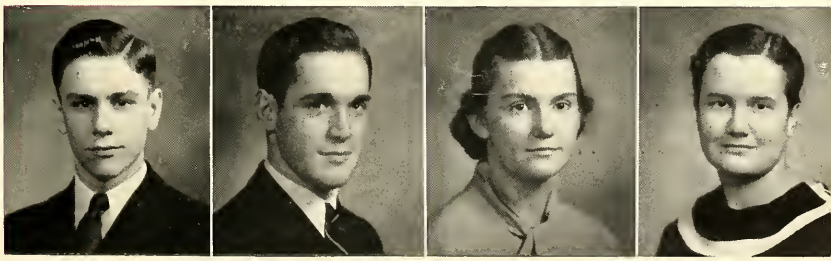
class officers

VIRGIL GERIG
Smithville, Ohio
President

JOHN E. SMUCKER
Wooster, Ohio
Vice-President

FRANCES BARNARD
Goshen, Indiana
Secretary

L. ELIZABETH PLANK
West Liberty, Ohio
Treasurer



in appreciation

Our freshman class has the distinction of being the largest class ever enrolled at Goshen College. We are glad of the bit we are doing toward the expansion and progress of the school. However, we hope that in addition to making the student body larger, we have strengthened the ideals and standards of the college. We hope we have given something of lasting influence. We have endeavored to support the various activities of the Y. P. C. A., the literary societies, and like organizations. We have given much time to choral work, forensics and athletics. In all these activities, we greatly appreciate the fellow-

freshmen

ship and guidance which the upper classes have given us. When our path was rough and difficult they gave us a helping hand. Their attitude of good-will has made us become a part of the student body in reality rather than in form. We would not forget our indebtedness to the faculty who patiently guided us thru this year's work. Most of us will be back next year as Sophomores. We will endeavor to live the ideals and principles of the school which we have learned this year, and hope that we may be able to help new students adjust themselves to Goshen College life.

—Virgil Gerig, President

living

"Here we learn life's duties, doing—", are the accents which echo from the campus through the following pages. These words describe the living spirit which animates Goshen College. It is the spirit of "preparation for future service", which dominates every activity, whether it be **religious, academic, literary, musical, athletic,** or otherwise. It is the hidden dynamic which moves student life. Turn the page and observe the student—**living.**

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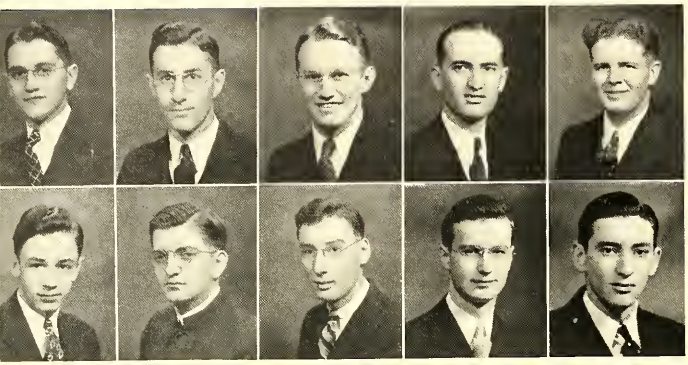

Y. P. C. A. - - men's division

Goshen College has as its basis a Christian emphasis which is not common among modern educational institutions. It is only natural that its students should have some way of expressing themselves in active Christian service. This is the function of the Y.P.C.A. It endeavors to strengthen and broaden the Christian experience of each individual. Its activities are sponsored through eight committees. The chairman of each committee, with the secretary and the president, constitute the cabinet.

Religious meetings of various types on the campus give opportunity for expression and development. The work, however, is not confined to the campus. Work is regularly done in jail and county infirmary services, in personal visitation and by programs given in churches of the surrounding communities. Much of this is done conjointly with the women's division. During the past year, three extension groups made tours through Ohio, Pennsylvania, Michigan, and Ontario. The functions of the "Y" are not confined to religious activities alone. The Social Committee serves by promoting wholesome social activities.

The Cabinet functions as a discussion group where student problems are discussed, and an effort made to solve them with Christian emphasis. Within the past year a need has been felt for a better understanding of Mennonite principles. Various meetings were sponsored to make the student body more conscious and appreciative of these ideals.

In all things the Y.P.C.A. is endeavoring to accept the challenge of Paul in II Peter 3:15: "But sanctify the Lord God in your hearts, and be ready always to give an answer to every man that asketh of thee a reason for the hope which lieth within you, with meekness and fear."

Above is a picture of the cabinet, reading from left to right: Dwight Yoder, president; Timothy Brenneman, secretary; Richard Yoder, treasurer; John Duerksen, extension committee; Ira Amstutz, mission study committee; lower row: Charles Kreider, church relations committee; Leland Bachman, Bible study committee; Waldo Lehman, social committee; Don Kreider, devotional committee; Lyle Yost, membership committee.

—Dwight Yoder

Y. P. C. A. - - women's division

The work of the women's division of the Y.P.C.A. is to co-operate with the men's division in endeavoring to carry out activities that strengthen the Christian life on our campus. The motto that we have before us is, "To know Christ and to make Him known." Once a week the members of the cabinet meet in the Y.W.C.A. room for a period of discussion, prayer, and fellowship. These periods, whether in the early morning or late evening, have meant a great deal to us. We cannot expect to make Christ known unless we know him better ourselves. We have appreciated the co-operation of the students on the various committees, and others in taking part when they have been asked.

As a group of girls, we enjoyed our weekly prayer meetings. The Social Committee furnished wholesome and interesting social functions. The Membership Committee sponsored the annual "heart-sister week", during which time we did favours for each other in such a way as not to reveal our identity until the final gathering. The messages given during our weekly devotional services were very inspirational. The programs sponsored by the Church Relations, Bible Study, and Mission Study Committees were of benefit to all. The Extension Committee provided many avenues for service both in song and speech. May we as members of a Christian body endeavor to keep this motto before us and find ourselves always active in the greatest of all causes, the cause of Christ.

The Y.W.C.A. Cabinet is pictured below. Reading from left to right: Harriet Lapp, President; Ruth King, Secretary; Lois Yoder, Treasurer; Mary Esch, Bible Study; Myrtle Kolb, Church Relations; Elda Hostetler, Social; Elizabeth Royer, Extension; Ruth Buzzard, Devotional; Ruth Ebersole, Membership; Martha Plank, Mission Study—replaced by Winifred Nelson.

bible school

The Bible School of Goshen College has enjoyed a wholesome growth during the years from 1924 to 1936. During this period an average of forty-five percent of all students were enrolled in one or more semester courses in Bible. Since 1924, the number of students taking Bible courses has increased seven hundred percent while the total number hours work taken has increased fifteen hundred percent.

In order to meet the need occasioned by this demand for Bible study, the college offers four types of Bible courses: (1) Graduate course, studies based on college graduation and equivalent to the first year of seminary work; (2) Bachelor of Theology, a degree course requiring a minimum of 54 hours of Bible and at least one year spent exclusively in Bible study; (3) College major in Bible, consisting of 24 semester hours including 12 hours above the sophomore level; and (4) Christian Workers' Course, a two year course on the College Freshman and Sophomore level with studies in Bible and practical work.

The value of Bible training is constantly emphasized, and students are challenged not only to study the Bible, but to do so with a view of accepting service in the church whenever and wherever called to do so.

Those in the picture are: back row, from left to right: Corona Haarer, Christian Workers' Course; Irene Graybill, Christian Workers' Course; Eva Stouffer, Bible Major; Raymond Yoder, Bachelor of Theology; Howard Albrecht, Christian Workers' Course; John Friesen, Bachelor of Theology; Harriet Lapp, Bible Major; Viola Burck, Christian Workers' Course; Kathryn Yoder, Christian Workers' Course; Iola Miller, Bible Major; Katherine E. Miller, Bible Major; front row: Oswin Gerber, Bible Major; Leland Bachman, Bachelor of Theology; Dean Bender; President Yoder; I. E. Burkhart; John Duerksen, Bible Major; John Coffman, Bachelor of Theology; those not in the picture are: Christian Workers' Course: Mary Kathryn Brown, Jasper Goodman, Grace Burck, Joseph Sweitzer, Warren Shaum, James Watson; Bible Minor, Myrtle Kolb; Bible Major, Bertie Baer.

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winter bible school

The Winter Bible School attendance increased this year, with 74 persons enrolled, nearly all of them for full courses. This is the largest enrollment for the Winter Bible term in the history of the College.

This year's students came from the following states: Indiana, 43; Ohio, 18; Illinois, 7; New York, 3; Iowa, 1; Missouri, 1; and Oregon, 1. Fully ninety percent of the students came from Indiana, Ohio, and Illinois. In 1936, the percentage for these states was ninety-four; in 1935, ninety-three. This reveals that these three states provide the basis of the Winter Bible Term constituency. It is also worthy of note that the service rendered to the churches is increasing. In 1935, 15 congregations were represented, in 1936, 23, while in 1937, 30 were represented. This is a great encouragement since one of the main objectives of the Winter Term is to increase Bible study among the membership of the churches in the school's territory.

Of the 74 students enrolled, 59 were in the first-year course, 13 were in the second-year, and 2 were in the third-year. The two third-year students graduated from the course and were awarded diplomas. They were Sanford Troyer, Orrville, Ohio; and Merrill Yoder, Elkhart, Indiana. Eleven persons received the Elementary Teacher Training Certificate granted by the Mennonite General Sunday School Committee in co-operation with the College. These students were: Erma Blosser, Goshen, Indiana; Robert Hartzler, Wakarusa, Indiana; William Kauffman, Tiskilwa, Illinois; Ina Martin, Armington, Illinois; Samuel Miller, Middlebury, Indiana; Titus Metzler, Nappanee, Indiana; Florence Richer, Wauseon, Ohio; Vera Stuckey, Grabill, Indiana; Sanford Troyer, Orrville, Ohio; Mae Wyse, Archbold, Ohio; and Merrill Yoder, Elkhart, Indiana.

The Bible Term students filled an important place among the students of the college. The most friendly and congenial relations existed between them and the regular students. When the term closed the vacancy in the chapel balcony was very evident. Students remarked how the "Winter Termers" had become conspicuous by their absence. The Bible was studied, friendships were formed, and loyalty to Christ and the Church increased.

—I. E. Burkhart

christian worker's band

The Christian Workers' Band was organized to give students an opportunity for active service. As in former years, the band met every Sunday morning before breakfast, a fine way of beginning the day of worship. Many students took advantage of these inspirational meetings. This year, in addition to the regular meeting, the Band has held prayer meetings each Wednesday morning before breakfast. The regular meetings, usually conducted by students, dealt with a wide variety of subjects such as: "Tithing", "Christian Youth", "The Cross", "Steadfastness", "Abiding in Christ", "Training Schools of God", "The Church's Need of Trained Workers". The Christmas meeting will not be forgotten soon. A new meaning of Christmas was brought to the members of the band as they joined in singing the songs of the nativity and then watched John Friesen illustrate the Christmas hymns sung by a mixed quartet. Between numbers, Mary Esch read the various scriptures connected with the birth of Jesus. Easter morning, the band met with the College congregation in a sunrise service. Brother Graber spoke on "The Resurrection".

Besides taking part in programs, members were given opportunity for service in the work at North Goshen. In the fall, the band co-operated with the Goshen Ministerial Association in taking a religious census of the city. They were given the North and East sections in which to make a house to house canvass and report to the association. This gave many members work to do and also an opportunity to get into the homes and locate places in which the band could later work.

This census was followed up by personal work in the homes. Groups of from four to seven were sent out on Sunday afternoons to homes in which there were invalids, aged persons, or any other home where such visits were appreciated. The group conducted a short devotional service, sang a number of songs and visited in these homes. The visits seemed to be much appreciated and it is felt by the band that this work is very much worthwhile.

This year the organization has about fifty members. Those in charge of the work are shown in the upper picture. They are (reading from left to right): John Duerksen, president; Ruth Ebersole, secretary; and Winifred Nelson, third member.

—Winifred Nelson

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foreign volunteer band

It is a real blessing that our young people enjoy in being able to attend our church colleges, for in so doing, it is possible to maintain and create an atmosphere that promotes the interests and concerns of those who desire to give expression to their convictions. Among other avenues for service on the campus, the Foreign Volunteer Band gives definite opportunity for expression in Christian service.

The programs have been of a devotional, inspirational type, encouraging an active interest in missions. To promote such an interest, one needs to be made conscious of his true relationship as a Christian to a needy world. Therefore, such subjects as consecration, evangelism, readiness, prayer, and faith have been profitably considered. Missionary book reviews and personal testimonies in soul winning have been helpful. Letters and visits from return missionaries keep the members in close touch with the foreign field. It is the purpose of the band to maintain a vital interest in missions; to encourage students who are interested in foreign work by getting them in closer touch with the actual needs of the field; to reiterate the message of Christ, "Lift up your eyes, and look on the fields, for they are white already to harvest." Certainly it is a wonderful opportunity we have for an expression of this kind in our own church schools. May we as students make much of our opportunity in furthering His cause.

The members of the band as shown in the picture below are: (back row) John Coffman, Harold Miller, John Friesen, Ira Amstutz, Waldo Lehman; (second row) Katherine A. Miller, Kathryn Lehman, Viola Gord, Kathryn Yoder, Martha Plank; (front row) Miss Royer, Eva Stouffer, Corona Haarer—third member, Harriet Lapp—president, Elizabeth Royer—secretary, Mary Esch and Winifred Nelson.

—Corona Haarer
—Elizabeth Royer

gospel teams

Twenty-two men spent either all or a part of their Christmas vacation in active service this year. They took extended tours through various states, as members of three gospel teams. Three complete programs were prepared before leaving the college on December 19. These programs consisted of three speeches and several quartet numbers. The titles of the programs were: "Consecration", "The Living Savior", and "Christian Peace".

One team went into central Ohio and gave ten programs in nine days. The speakers on this team were Dwight Yoder, Waldo Lehman, Lawrence Burkholder and Lloyd Conrad. The quartet consisted of William Friesen, Franklin Bishop, Richard Yoder, and Dwight Weldy.

A second team went into Michigan for nine days, and visited twelve churches. The members of this team were Leland Bachman, John Coffman, Timothy Brenneman, Harold Miller, and Ira Amstutz. A male quartet composed of Vernon Miller, Charles Neff, Francis Smucker, and Maurice Burkholder sang wherever special music was desired.

A third team took the entire vacation period of seventeen days for its trip, and went into eastern Ohio, western Pennsylvania, New York, and Ontario, Canada. Twenty churches were visited, and as many programs given. This team was composed of five men, four of whom sang in a male quartet. The members of this team were Mark Hartzler, Paul Kaufman, John Friesen, John Duerksen, and Emanuel Hertzler. The first four named, formed the quartet.

The members of the Gospel Teams as shown in the picture are, reading from left to right: back row, Francis Smucker, Charles Neff, Vernon Miller, Maurice Burkholder, Lawrence Burkholder, Harold Miller, Leland Bachman, and Timothy Brenneman; middle row, Raymond Yoder*, Ira Amstutz, James Watson*, Mark Hartzler, John Friesen, Paul Kaufman, John Duerksen, and Emanuel Hertzler; front row, Myrtle Kolb*, Harriet Lapp*, Dwight Weldy, Richard Yoder, William Friesen, Dwight Yoder, Waldo Lehman, Charles Kreider, and Lloyd Conrad. (* Last minute changes prevented these members from making the proposed trip to the Peoria, Illinois, Mission.)

—John Duerksen

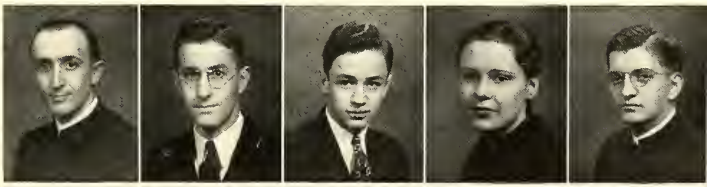
religious

mennonite historical society

The Mennonite Historical Society was organized in 1924 as a means of contributing to a better understanding of present day Mennonite doctrine and practice through better understanding of the historical background of the church. The society fosters research as means of increasing the fund of knowledge of our church history. On the campus, the society provides several public programs during the school year at which addresses and papers are given. It sponsors the Mennonite Historical Library and devotes most of its regular income to the purchase of materials for the library. It publishes **"The Mennonite Quarterly Review".** The January 1937 issue was of special importance as it was the tenth anniversary number. More extended studies are published in book form in a series of monographs edited by a staff chosen from the society by the board of directors. The officers of the organization (as in the above picture)—reading from left to right—are: Harold S. Bender, president; Silas Hertzler, secretary; Edward Yoder, treasurer; Guy Hershberger, vice-president; John Coffman, librarian.

peace society

The Goshen College Peace Society was organized last year to stimulate scholarship and research on peace projects, and especially to contribute to the peace education of Mennonite youth. The society now has a membership of about fifty. It holds monthly meetings at which papers are read on some phase of the peace problem. The Peace Problems Committee of the General Conference co-operates in activities of the society. This year a peace library was organized to which the Society plans to make yearly additions. A large number of books and magazines is already available. Most of the official work of the organization is carried on by a board of directors of ten members. In the picture below, reading from left to right, are: Dr. Guy Hershberger, faculty chairman; Timothy Brenneman, president; Charles Kreider, vice-president; Martha Plank, secretary; Leland Bachman, treasurer. Ruth Ebersole was elected secretary for the second semester. In addition to the officers, the other members of the board of directors are: Dean H. S. Bender, Professor Umble, Don Kreider, and Emanuel Hertzler.



bible circle

The Bible Circle was organized during the year of 1935-1936 under the auspices of the Bible Department. Its purpose is to create and foster interest in full-time Bible study; to promote spiritual life and fellowship among the Bible students; to engage in practical Christian work; and to consider and discuss church needs and work. Meetings are held twice a month. There have been programs on problems confronting the Christian, studies of the Old and New Testaments, and on prayer. Sometimes there has been open discussion in which all have the opportunity of expressing and exchanging ideas. The Bible Circle aids, strengthens and enriches the spiritual life of the students in Goshen College.

The officers of the organization shown in the above picture, reading from left to right, are: I. E. Burkhart, advisor; Leland Bachman, president; John Duerksen, vice-president; Mary K. Brown, secretary-treasurer. The other members are as follows: President Yoder, Dean H. S. Bender, John Coffman, Katherine A. Miller, Harriet Lapp, John Friesen, Oswin Gerber, James Watson, Eva Stouffer, Irene Grabill, Corona Haarer, Viola Burck, Jasper Goodman, Kathryn Yoder, Ruth King, Myrtle Kolb, Katherine E. Miller, Grace Burck, Raymond Yoder, Joseph Sweitzer, and Warren Shaum.

—Mary Kathryn Brown

north goshen sunday school

Every Sunday morning a group of students meet in North Goshen to conduct a Mission Sunday School. It is a great pleasure to be able to meet at last, in a building of our own. We are grateful that God touched the hearts of so many to contribute to the building fund. For the greater part of the year, we have been meeting in the basement, but the entire building is soon to be completed. The attendance has ranged from one hundred thirty-four to eighty-four, increasing in the winter and decreasing toward spring. Before the Sunday School hour begins, a group of young men distribute papers to many homes. The people look forward to receiving these papers a great deal, and we pray that some good might be done through these messages. There is much work that can be done in this field. May God open the way, so that more work can be done and more souls be blessed.

—Harriet Lapp, '37

religious

religious activities

Goshen College believes that Christianity and religion are necessary for the perfection of a true education, that regeneration through faith in Christ is an essential Christian experience without which no man shall be saved, and that Christianity furnishes the only adequate basis for the development of a character that is able to withstand the tests of modern life. It believes also that a force so potent in human affairs should be propagated and made known to all men, that Christian activity is conducive to growth and that exercise in godliness is good for the soul. Such a conviction will naturally express itself in service. At Goshen College this spirit has led student groups to launch a Mission Sunday School in North Goshen which has grown into a permanent work with a house of worship of its own. It has led to weekly visits to the county jail and occasional visits to the county infirmary. During the past year, as heretofore, gospel teams were sent out during the holiday vacation to give programs at the various churches. These and many other activities have contributed to a richer life on the campus and a broader service to the world outside.

—Sanford Calvin Yoder, President

summer school

The Goshen College Summer School for 1936 began on Tuesday, June 9, and closed on Saturday, August 8. The instructors for this session were: Dr. Samuel W. Witmer, Biological Science; Dr. Guy F. Hershberger, History; Dr. Glen R. Miller, Chemistry; Dr. M. Clifford Lehman, Philosophy and Education; Dr. Silas Hertzler, Psychology and Education; Samuel A. Yoder, English; Mrs. Glen R. Miller, Elementary Education; B. Frank Hartzler, Public School Music; and Arthur L. Sprunger, Public School Art.

The spring term of six weeks had an enrollment of twenty students. Considering these students along with the eighty of the longer summer session, and not counting duplicates, the complete enrollment was ninety-one.

Extra-curricular work for the summer was in charge of an executive committee of four, elected by the students. These were: Richard Yoder, chairman; Orpha Troyer, secretary; Wilma Lehman, treasurer; and Waldo Lehman, fourth member. Four other committees were appointed to supervise Summer School activities. Elizabeth Royer was chairman of the devotional committee; Karl Massanari was chairman of the social committee; Mary Grove was chairman of the refreshment committee; and Waldo Lehman was chairman of the recreation committee.

Prayer meetings were held each Wednesday evening after supper in Kulp Hall or on the lawn. These meetings were led by various students. Each Thursday a devotional meeting was conducted at the regular chapel hour.

On various evenings throughout the summer, socials were held on the campus lawn. Games were played, and refreshments were enjoyed by all. One day during the summer, classes were dismissed, and the faculty and the students went to Spear Lake for an outing. A grand dinner, fishing, and boating were among the many things enjoyed on that outing.

Silas Hertzler
Director of Summer Session

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elementary education club

The Elementary Education Club was organized four years ago to create enthusiasm for the work of teaching boys and girls in the elementary schools, to emphasize the importance and dignity of teaching as a profession, and to bring before its members some of the procedures as well as the ideals of public school work. Membership in the club is open to those who are enrolled in teacher training courses at the college, and to those who have taught previously. The membership this year is eighty.

The club aims to secure as speakers successful teachers and administrators to discuss such questions as the following: "On what basis does a superintendent select his new teachers?" "How may the teaching of geography be made vital by the use of the 'Journey Method'?" "How shall we evaluate the 'Activity Movement'?" One of the projects considered for the club this year is to call special attention to the facts concerning the use of alcoholic beverages and tobacco, with practical suggestions for teaching children the harmful effects of their use.

The club wishes to emphasize the need not only of going out into the public schools well equipped in the training prescribed by the state, but also the great need of a strong Christian foundation for successful work. For many children, the chief contact they will have with a warm Christian testimony will be through their teachers. It is hoped that every teacher going out into the field will make it his practice to follow the example of that first Mennonite school teacher in America, Christopher Dock, who daily laid roll of his pupils before him, and on his knees prayed for each child in his school.

The club wishes to keep before the new teachers their obligation and privilege in supporting the Church in its program of extending the Kingdom. We trust that not only from the first pay check but also from every succeeding one, a part of each teacher's income will be reserved for the work of the church, and that not only in money but also in prayers and activity each teacher will make his job a living testimony to the love of Christ.

—Parke Lantz

der deutsche verein

Der Deutsche Verein, organized in 1932, is composed of students who have a speaking knowledge of the German language, and those interested in becoming better acquainted with both the language and the life of the German people. The primary purpose of the club is that of cultivating fluency of speech and appreciation of German literature.

The organization has not always been so active as at present. A few years after its origin, it was discontinued, but was later reorganized, and has been actively contributing to campus functions for several years. Mrs. H. S. Bender is the sponsor of the club, and under her supervision many interesting programs have been presented.

At the monthly meetings a variety of programs are presented. German songs, learned in connection with class work, are often sung. Among the outstanding programs of the year, we find a Hallowe'en Party, at which Betty Trump entertained the group. In December, an enjoyable Christmas program was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Bender.

In addition to the regular gatherings, the club sponsored several public programs. The "Gerber Trio" was presented in the auditorium in a vocal program of German and Swiss numbers. At the same program, Mrs. Bender spoke on "Germany". Also an after-dinner program was given by the club in the dining hall. Gerhard Wegner was the main speaker, with Robert Zarske interpreting.

The members of the club as shown by the picture are: back row, reading from left to right: William Friesen, Alvin Blough, Paul Kaufman, Clyde Miller, Robert Hippensteel, Frank Byler, Francis Troyer, Elwood Ziegler, Falls Hershey, John Coffman, Paul Miller, Raymond Yoder, Howard Blosser; second row: Lloyd Conrad, Gerhard Wegner, John Hartzler, Betty Trump, Margaret Bauer, Elsie Eash, Esther Widmer, Florence Shirk, Justine Enss, Lois Yoder, Elizabeth Royer, Charles Neff, Waldo Lehman, Dale Wenger; third row: Dean Bender, Mrs. Bender, sponsor, Lois Miller, Emanuel Hertzler, treasurer, Kathryn Hershberger, secretary, Ira Amstutz, president, Robert Zarske, vice-president, D. A. Lehman, Richard Yoder, and Martha Plank.

—Kathryn Hershberger

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le cercle francais

Le Cercle Francais was organized a number of years ago for the benefit of those students who are interested in studying the French language, as well as the country and people where it is spoken. Although it offers a means of diversion and entertainment at regular intervals, the purpose of the club is not limited to these interests. It gives French students a glimpse of France, of her arts, of her customs, and offers a means of developing a more fluent usage of the French language.

Meetings of the club are scheduled at monthly intervals. Miss Lydia Shenk, supervisor of the club, gives much of her time toward making these meetings worthwhile. For a number of years the club has sponsored a public program some time during the school year. At regular meetings, the programs center about French life, customs, literature, and music. Occasionally speakers are obtained who have been privileged to visit in "La belle France", and who are able to present true and vivid pictures of France and her people. Usually, however, the meetings are conducted by the members of the club. In addition to the formal program, games are played which are helpful in furthering the fluency of the French language among the students. Great enthusiasm is exhibited in the singing of French songs.

The club consists of about thirty students, who are now studying French or who have had two or more years of the language previously. A fund supplied by dues, together with any proceeds from public programs, is used in the interest of the club; i.e. for the purchase of new books or equipment for the French students of the college.

As shown in the above picture, the members are, from left to right, top row: Ruth King, Franklin Bishop, Richard Brenneman, Haidie Enss, Dwayne Nelson, Marie Hooley, Samuel Bucher, Delilah Roth, Harold Miller, Vera Mae Roth; second row, Edith King, Leland Byler, Winifred Nelson, Ruth Whirledge, George Smith, Pauline Liechty, Thelma Oyer, Edward Belan, Mae Orendorff, Francis Smucker, Eunice Schrock; third row, Kathryn Yoder, Lydia Shenk—sponsor, Don Kreider, Martha Plank—Secretary, Martha King —President, Vernon Miller—Treasurer, Marie Ramseyer, John Coffman.

home economics club

The Home Economics Club has been organized to help the college women develop a more alert interest in the field of Home Economics and present-day problems such as selecting foods, economy of resources, selecting and caring for clothing, and living more happily with one's family. Due to the rapidly changing modern generation, the Home Economics Club has adopted a different program this year. Women and girls of today are interested in learning how to do the arts and crafts their grandmothers knew. The interest in these arts and crafts started with knitting. Some self-made knitted article, such as a beret, sweater, or a scarf was eagerly sought after. So the club made its first meeting knitting circles. These meetings were very successful. Some very nice products were finished. In another meeting instructions for making artificial flowers were given by Elda Hostetler. The materials used for the petals were organdie or wood fiber. The flowers made of wood fiber had the color and texture of real flowers. Another interesting meeting was the one on tatting. The club was given the privilege of planning the arrangement and furniture for the new recreation room. At one of the meetings curtains were made for the room.

Many values are derived from meetings of the type sponsored by the club. One learns to give clear and careful instructions, which is very helpful for those intending to teach. Others learn to use their hands, and to follow instructions. Any student of Home Economics would not have a complete knowledge of her field without ability to do, and to instruct others to do, these arts and crafts which are so much in demand at present.

The members of the club in the upper picture are: (back row) Esther Graber, Miss Wyse—sponsor, and Myrtle Kolb; (middle row) Doris Kauffman, LaVerne Wenger, Martha Plank, Irene Grabill, Harriet Lapp, Thelma A. Hostetler; (front row) Winifred Nelson—treasurer, Ruth Whirledge—secretary, Elda Hostetler—president, and Lois Miller—vice-president.

—Ruth Whirledge

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audubon society

The Audubon Society was organized some years ago to stimulate interest in bird study, and to cultivate an appreciation of bird life. The society is highly esteemed by its members as a means of studying the beauty of nature.

The main activities of the organization are in the spring and fall, when the society can go out as a group to study birds. At other times each member is encouraged to make individual observations and studies. Pictures obtained from Indiana University accompanied by a lecture by Maurice Burkholder gave us more knowledge of our little feathered friends.

To the majority of the members the most interesting features of the society's work are the early morning trips in spring and fall. Hikers are divided into several small groups headed by instructors, well versed in this field. They leave the campus at about 5:30 A. M. The groups separate; perhaps one goes to Shoup's woods, the other around the race, or, one may go to a nearby lake.

At a pre-arranged time, the two groups gather at the end of Gra-Roy Drive, along the race, to compare notes, and enjoy a fine breakfast of bacon and eggs fried over a large campfire. This is a real treat but this, even as all good things, must end. And soon the group breaks up, as some hurry back to first hour classes.

The members in the picture below, reading left to right, are: back row—Owen Martin, Lloyd Conrad, Richard Yoder, Dale Wenger, Roscoe Miller, Ira Amstutz, Lawrence Burkholder, William Friesen, Charles Neff, Dwayne Nelson, James Watson, Don Kreider, Robert Albrecht, Titus Gerber, Dwight Weldy, S. Paul Miller, Clyde Miller; second row—Ruth Sieber, Viola Burck, Irene Grabill, Mary Kathryn Brown, Eileen Bachman, Gladys Yoder, Bessie Benell, Eunice Schrock, Kathryn Lehman, Lyle Yost, Vernon Miller, Ruth King, Elta Holaway, Aldine Yordy, Thelma Oyer, Kathleen Zehr, Edith King, Marie Kauffman, Grace Weaver, Goldie Gerber; front row—Frances Barnard, Lois Yoder, Elizabeth Royer, Ruth Ebersole, Winifred Nelson, Charles Kreider—treasurer, Paul Kaufman—president, Francis Troyer—vice-president, Harriet Lapp, Marjory Yoder, Margaret Swope, Lois Miller, Erma Martin, Eva Stouffer.

—Winifred Nelson

lecture board

The Lecture Board scheduled a number of very interesting numbers for the 1936-37 lecture course. October 9, Dorothy Fuldheim discussed the troubled affairs of Europe in "The European Merry-Go-Round". October 19, Arthur F. Kane gave a very sympathetic account of other cultures in "Backtracking Marco Polo". November 2, James C. Sawders presented an illustrated lecture on the wonderland of the south in "Seeing Mexico by Motor". November 19, Dr. Pillsbury lectured on the wonders of modern plant culture. November 27, Juanita Bauer gave the Homecoming Lecture "Nation Builders". January 14, Lew Sarett, America's Woodsman Poet, lectured on and read some of his poetry. March 30, Mrs. Grace Sloan Overton lectured on "The Family in a New Era". April 23, Dr. O. Ray Yoder, alumnus of Goshen College, lectured on "Mental Moratoriums".

The members of the Lecture Board shown in the above picture are: William Friesen (Adelphian), Ethel Yordy (Avon), Dwight Weldy (Aurora), Esther Widmer (Vesperian), and Paul Bender, Faculty chairman. The faculty members not shown are: President Yoder, Dean Bender, Professor Umble and Dr. Witmer.

alumni association

The Goshen College Alumni Association was formally organized on March 1, 1901. The thirty-six years of its existence have allowed opportunity for some observation as to the functioning of our Alma Mater in the light of the objectives set by her founders. These objectives were, first, the training of christian workers for the church, and, second, the providing of training for various activities of life under a cultural program in which the tenets of the church are effectively taught and lived.

Many of the ministers and missionaries of the church have taken training at Goshen. Many lay church workers have acquired a conception of life-service that was first realized under the influence of a faculty loyal to the church at our Alma Mater.

Loyal alumni everywhere are happy in a fellowship that springs from loyalty to the ideals of our Alma Mater. In the not distant future, we should have at our annual meeting a formal statement of the educational philosophy of Goshen College and its special application to modern world need. That should be an occasion when alumni from all parts of the world would rally to the traditional objectives of our Alma Mater.

M. C. Lehman, President

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forensic contests

The offering of two courses in public speaking this year instead of one as in previous years has heightened the interest and improved the quality of the six annual forensic contests.

The Women's Annual Discussion Contest and the Women's Annual Declamation Contest are now sponsored jointly by the Avon and Vesperian Societies. The declamation contest was held on March 12. Ruth Sieber 40, won the prize, Juanita Harrison's "My Great Wide Beautiful World". Ruth Buzzard, 38, placed second, and Mary Esch, 37, third. In the women's discussion contest, held March 18, Frances Barnard, 40, won first prize, the book "Drums Along the Mohawk", by Walter D. Edmonds. The judges placed Betty Trump, 39, second; and Ruth Buzzard, 38, third.

February 4 found six entrants in the Men's Annual Discussion Contest sponsored by the Aurora Society. Edward Belan, 39, won the prize, the recent book, "How to Win Friends and Influence People", by Carnegie. The judges placed Albert Erickson, 37, second, and Emanuel Hertzler, 38, third. The Annual Peace Oratorical Contest, held April 1, was won by Falls Hershey, 39, speaking on "Justice or Chaos?" Charles Kreider's oration, "Betrayers of Peace," was awarded second place.

Outstanding in interest and quality among this year's contests were the two open to none but the Freshman men. On February 19 in the Freshman Men's Third Annual Discussion Contest, seven men competed for the ten dollars in cash prizes, the gift of Mr. Waldo Thutt Stalter, of the Class of 1927. Clifford Yoder won first prize, Gordon Staub, second; Verl Lehman, third; and J. A. Leatherman, fourth. The Freshman Men's Second Annual Peace Oratorical Contest was held on April 8. Members of the Class of 1901 sponsor this contest, offering annually fifteen dollars in cash prizes. Two of the judges placed J. Artley Leatherman first; Richard Culp won second prize; Verl Lehman, third; and Lawrence Burkholder, fourth. The first place winners appearing in the picture below are: back row—Edward Belan, Falls Hershey, J. Artley Leatherman, and Clifford Yoder. In the front row are Ruth Sieber and Frances Barnard.

—John Umble

intramural debating

Twenty-two men—eight freshmen, six sophomores, six juniors and two seniors—answered the call for debaters at the opening of the season. Illness and overcrowded schedules eliminated several, but seventeen men participated in public debates. The question was that used by mid-western colleges: "Resolved, That the extension of consumer co-operatives would contribute to public welfare." The regular class in debating—Albert Erickson, Falls Hershey and Ezra Shenk—did considerable preliminary work in analysis of the proposition. Most of the freshmen of the squad wrote the required freshmen term paper on some phase of the question.

In the first Freshman-Sophomore debate the Freshman "A" team, affirmative—Clifford Yoder, Robert Walter, and Virgil Gerig—all seasoned high school debaters, persuaded Dr. Guy F. Hershberger, single critic judge, that they should have the decision over the Sophomore "A" team, negative—Falls Hershey, Leland Bachman and Howard Blosser. The Sophomores, unfortunately, hinged their case on the definition of "consumer co-operatives".

A week later the Freshman won the second inter-class tilt. Dean Bender, acting as single critic judge, decided that the Sophomore team—Maurice Burkholder, Ezra Shenk, and Floyd Miller—lost 3-0 to Richard Culp, Orville Roth and Dorsey Eash, who defended the negative. The Freshmen attached the desirability and practicability of consumer co-operatives by pointing out numerous evils in co-operatives.

In the above picture the members of the debate squad, reading left to right, are: back row—Orville Roth, Paul Conrad, Robert Walter, Lawrence Burkholder, Richard Culp, Clifford Yoder, Virgil Gerig, and Dorsey Eash; middle row—Leland Bachman, Ezra Shenk, Falls Hershey, Maurice Burkholder, John Hartzler, Floyd Miller, and Howard Blosser; front row—S. Paul Miller, Dwight Yoder, Timothy Brenneman, Professor Umble (coach of debate), Don Kreider, Emanuel Hertzler, Waldo Lehman, and Lloyd Conrad.

—John Umble

literary

intercollegiate debating

Goshen's modest program of intercollegiate debating began with the Seventh Annual Invitational Debate Tournament at Manchester College, February 26-27. Two-man teams were used for the first time this year. Even then, it was necessary to hold an overflow tournament for twenty-eight teams at Huntington College.

The members of Goshen's "A" teams (shown in the picture below, reading from left to right), Dwight Yoder, Waldo Lehman, Coach Umble, Don Kreider, and Emanuel Hertzler, won five and lost seven debates. The affirmative team, Yoder and Lehman, won from Michigan State, Illinois Normal, and Manchester, and lost to Wabash, Hanover, and Bowling Green. The Manchester negative was undefeated in the tournament until it lost to Goshen in the final round. The negative "A" team, Kreider and Hertzler, was the victim of several very close decisions. They won from Manchester and Rose Polytechnic Institute, but lost to Wheaton, Northern Illinois, Asbury and Adrian. Asbury and Northern Illinois won all of their debates.

The "B" teams won five and lost five. The affirmative "B" team, S. Paul Miller and Clifford Yoder, Goshen's highest scoring team in the tournament, defeated Illinois Normal, Bowling Green, and Indiana U., and lost to Western State and Wayne University. The Indiana U., team had won every debate until they met Goshen in the final round. The negative "B" team, Falls Hershey and Richard Culp, met some of the strongest contenders in the "B" division. They won from Manchester College and Akron University, and lost to the formidable Wayne University, Indiana University, and Notre Dame University teams.

After the tournament, in a home-and-home debate with Marion College the Goshen affirmative "A" team lost to Marion at Marion through failure to meet the "new and greater evils" attack on their case. The Goshen negative won from Marion at Goshen. Goshen won both ends of a dual debate with Taylor University, both Taylor teams being entertained at Goshen, an innovation encouraged by the introduction of the two-man team. The Anderson College negative, returning through Goshen from an Illinois tour, lost to Goshen's affirmative in an interesting contest.

The two-man team makes it increasingly difficult to win a "G" in intercollegiate debating. Waldo Lehman won that right this year. Dwight Yoder, who has debated four years is the only letter-man who is a senior.

—John Umble

adelphian literary society

Another year of successful literary activity for the Adelphians began with the addition of twenty new members. Together with the members returning from last year, they composed a group of forty-six enthusiastic supporters of an association whose aim is to provide opportunity for expression of literary abilities. Progress throughout the year was accomplished by keeping in mind the motto of the society: "We learn to do by doing".

This year's activities were begun with the regular weekly meetings. Typical program themes included the following: Modern Methods of Transportation, Essentials of Good Photography, Educational Systems Throughout the World, and the Status of Public Utilities in the United States. Several members of the faculty addressed the society on topics of definite interest. Addresses by D. A. Lehman on "Astronomy" and by Mrs. H. S. Bender on "Courtesy" provided both variation and informative material to the weekly programs.

During the second semester, discussions of causes and modern methods of flood control, our congress in action, issues in the automobile strike, and the Spanish Crisis engaged the attention of the society.

Social activities of the year included the annual Soiree, with its nautical theme and competent captain, Waldo Lehman, in charge. Instead of the usual autumn banquet, the social committee, headed by Ira Amstutz, led the group on a treasure-hunt to a neighboring woods.

In athletic events the Adelphians maintained their position as a society conscious of the values of competitive sports. They realized one victory in soft-ball competition during the autumn season. In basketball, they emerged with two victories out of three. This year's basketball competition proved to be one of intense interest.

Thus an analysis of the activities of the Adelphian through the year suggests the conclusion that the society continues to be supported by a keen interest in both literary and athletic endeavors.

—Charles Kreider

literary

officers

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President _____Charles Kreider
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Critic _____Don Kreider
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Attorney _____Harold Miller
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Secretary _____Harvey Hunsberger
Treasurer _____Samuel Bucher
Critic _____Charles Neff
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Attorney _____Parke Lantz
Usher _____Frank Bishop

the roll

Howard Albrecht, Morton, Illinois
William Allen, Louisville, Ohio
Ira Amstutz, Dalton, Ohio
Edward Belan, Chicago, Ill.
David Bender, Springs, Pa.
Franklin Bishop, Doylestown, Pa.
Alvin Blough, Holsopple, Pa.
Richard Brenneman, Elida, Ohio
Ralph Brenneman, Elida, Ohio
Timothy Brenneman, Elida, Ohio
Samuel Bucher, Dallastown, Pa.
Lawrence Burkholder, Newville, Pa.
Richard Culp, Goshen, Indiana
Warren Detweiler, Telford, Pa.
Dorsey Eash, Holsopple, Pa.
William Friesen, Dhamtari, C. P., India
Oswin Gerber, Goshen, Indiana
Falls Hershey, Chicago, Ill.
Robert Hippensteel, Goshen, Ind.
George Hooley, Goshen, Ind.
Harvey Hunsberger, Wadsworth, Ohio
Charles Kreider, Wadsworth, Ohio
Don Kreider, Wadsworth, Ohio
Howard Kulp, Fricks, Pa.
Robert LaMar, Hagerstown, Md.
Parke Lantz, Syracuse, Ind.
Verl Lehman, Goshen, Ind.
Waldo Lehman, Goshen, Ind.
Alpheus Mast, Belleville, Pa.
Clyde Miller, Springs, Pa.
Harold Miller, Springs, Pa.
S. Paul Miller, Garden City, Mo.
Charles Neff, Chicago, Ill.
Dwayne Nelson, Newaygo, Mich.
Robert Reist, Falfurrias, Texas
Ezra Shenk, Goshen, Ind.
Luther Shetler, Goshen, Ind.
Floyd Shore, Woosung, Illinois
George Smith, Ashley, Michigan
Karl Stutzman, Goshen, Ind.
Robert Walter, Goshen, Ind.
James Watson, Archbold, Ohio

vesperian literary society

When the four o'clock bell rings on Monday afternoon, and the minds and bodies of all students crave relaxation, it is more than mere time spent to sit in the Social Room of Kulp Hall and listen to a program which is made to recreate as well as to increase the listeners' fund of knowledge. And when the program is over, all over the campus one can hear the stirring refrain of the pep song—"We're Vesperians true and loyal." At the conjoint meeting held in the fall, after breathless moments of suspense, we were assured of twenty-five new members, and our enrollment stood at fifty-five. Under the guidance of Ruth King, the society enjoyed an excellent variety of programs including a mock campaign and election in which "Landon" won the majority vote, and a vigorous debate on "Marriage versus Career" in which Career secured the vote of the judges though perhaps not the hearts of the audience. On Thanksgiving Saturday, the program was given by Home-coming Vesperians. The new officers were installed on February the first, and the new Vice-President Esther Widmer, took charge of the programs. Merry were the laughs provoked by dramatization of "The Bird, the Mouse and the Sausage". Valentine sentiments were a source of more fun. March came in with a flustery program, with a review of "Straw in the Wind," harmonica solos, and windy poems. We listened to health talks and stories of every description and worried over Soiree. This event came as an evening's entertainment aboard the "Vespadel". Waves, captain, passports, sailing songs, and ship's menus made every one present forget that they were in Goshen College and believe that they were surely on the "briny deep". The year closes with an interesting program given to the old Vesperians at Commencement time.

" . . . And to help our Alma Mater, We will work with all our might
Bright days of youth and gladness 'neath our yellow and our white . . . "

As new Vesperians come to take the places of those who must leave, this same spirit shall be held in the heart of every loyal and true Vesperian.

—Mary Ellen Esch

literary

officers

Officers—First Semester

President _____Harriet Lapp
Vice-President _____Ruth King
Secretary _____Eunice Albrecht
Treasurer _____Winifred Nelson
Critic _____Mary Esch
Attorney _____Wilma Miller
Ushers ____Kathryn Lehman, Gladys Hershberger

Officers—Second Semester

President _____Mary Esch
Vice-President ____Esther Widmer
Secretary _____Genevieve Yoder
Treasurer _____Flossie Lehman
Critic _____Elizabeth Royer
Attorney _____Viola Krabill
Record Reporter ____Martha King
Ushers __Elsie Eash, Elta Holaway, Margaret Bauer, Margaret Swope

the roll

Eunice Albrecht, Tiskilwa, Illinois
Margaret Bauer, Peoria, Illinois
Minnie Bittinger, Springs, Pennsylvania
Alvera Blough, Holsopple, Pennsylvania
Mary Kathryn Brown, Stone Creek, Ohio
Ruth Champerlin, Nappanee, Indiana
Agnes Cripe, Goshen, Indiana
Elsie Eash, Johnstown, Pennsylvania
Mary Esch, Goshen, Indiana
Goldie Gerber, Dalton, Ohio
Viola Good, Waterloo, Ontario
Esther Graber, Sterling, Ohio
Corona Haarer, Shipshewana, Indiana
Helen Harper, Goshen, Indiana
Gladys Hershberger, Nappanee, Indiana
Elta Holaway, Nappanee, Indiana
Ella Mae Hooley, Ligonier, Indiana
Thelma M. Hostetler, West Liberty, Ohio
Martha King, West Liberty, Ohio
Ruth King, West Liberty, Ohio
Myrtle Kolb, Kitchener, Ontario
Nola Krabill, Louisville, Ohio
Viola Krabill, Louisville, Ohio
Harriet Lapp, India
Flossie Lehman, North Lima, Ohio
Kathryn Lehman, Columbiana, Ohio
Pauline Liechty, Smithville, Ohio
Georgia Ellen Loucks, Scottdale, Pennsylvania
Helen Miller, Shipshewana, Indiana
Iola Miller, Shipshewana, Indiana
Katherine Miller, LaGrange, Ind.
Lois Miller, Akron, Pennsylvania
Wilma Miller, Archbold, Ohio
Katherine E. Miller, Garden City, Missouri
Rachel Moyer, Perkasie, Pennsylvania
Winifred Nelson, Newaygo, Michigan
Helen Phillips, Goshen Indiana
Leatha Richard, Seville, Ohio
Elizabeth Royer, Orrville, Ohio
Mary Shenk, Elida, Ohio
Ruth Sieber, Goshen, Indiana
Elinor Smith, Elkhart, Indiana
Geneva Stamm, Archbold, Ohio
Eva Stouffer, Wadsworth, Ohio
Maude Swartzendruber, LaJunta, Colorado
Margaret Swope, Columbiana, Ohio
Esther Troyer, Shipshewana, Indiana
Doris Wade, Sterling, Illinois
Bette Weaver, Goshen, Indiana
Ann Wenger, Smithville, Ohio
Esther Widmer, Wayland, Iowa
Kathryn Yoder, West Liberty, Ohio
Genevieve Yoder, Topeka, Indiana
Marjory Yoder, West Liberty, Ohio
Kathleen Zehr, Croghan, New York

aurora literary society

The Aurora Literary Society has been active on the campus since the very beginning of the college. With the motto, "Forward," it has worked to make a definite contribution to campus life.

Many anxious moments are spent in preparing the first two programs of the year. These programs must be good, for they are designed to attract new members to our society. Interest is greatly increased at the third meeting when all candidates for membershio are initiated. No Aurora forgets this experience! Then comes the task of expounding the history, traditions, and accomplishments of the society. The new members are enthusiastic over this program; the old members reaffirm their pledge to carry "Forward". After this, the young Auroras are introduced to the sister society at the Avon-Aurora outing. This year as usual, it rained, but it takes more than rain to dampen spirits on one of these outings. Games, picnic lunch, a blazing fire, songs, and the walk back "home" are memories not soon forgotten.

The Avon-Aurora Musical is another project sponsored by the two societies. It is an annual event in honor of the Adelphian and Vesperian Societies. This year, we were privileged to have a former Aurora, John Gaius Baumgartner, as our artist. Mr. Baumgartner is bass soloist and assistant director of the famous Westminster Choir.

In one of the outstanding programs of the year, Robert Zarske lectured on "Dactylography"—the science of fingerprint identification. The Christmas program with its carols and grab bag was quite memorable too. A spirited program on "Hobbies" brought into existence a new organization—the "Aurora Snapshooters". The organization has been quite active in photography. It has equipped a complete dark room in the basement of the Science Hall. Occasionally, the club exhibits and demonstrates its work for the entire Aurora Society.

One of the meetings that we always anticipate is the last meeting of the year. At this meeting, during Commencement week, we become better acquainted with Aurora Alumni. And thus closes another year in the Aurora Society.

—Raymond Yoder

literary

officers

Officers—First Semester

President ——————Richard Yoder
Vice-President ——————Lotus Troyer
Secretary ——————Dorsa Mishler
Treasurer ——————Raymond Yoder
Critic ——————Leland Byler
Attorney ——————John Duerkson
S. L. A. Rep. ——————Leland Bachman
Public Chairman ——————Dwight Yoder
Ushers ——————
——Donald Yoder, Elwood Zeigler

Officers—Second Semester

President ——————Dwight Yoder
Vice-President ——————Francis Troyer
Secretary ——————Francis Smucker
Treasurer ——————John Hartzler
Critic ——————John Friesen
Attorney ——————Lyle Yost
S. L. A. Rep. ——Maurice Burkholder
Public Chairman ——Leland Bachman
Ushers ——————
——Glenn Schrock, Virgil Gerig

the roll

Robert Albrecht, Tiskilwa, Illinois
Leland Bachman, Morton, Illinois
Howard Blosser, Columbiana, Ohio
Maurice Burkholder, Nampa, Idaho
Frank Byler, West Liberty, Ohio
Leland Byler, Goshen, Indiana
Warren Christophel, Goshen, Indiana
Herbert Clipp, Elkhart, Indiana
Lloyd Conrad, Louisville, Ohio
Paul Conrad, Canby, Oregon
John Duerksen, Kingman, Kansas
Paul Eimen, Wellman, Iowa
Hallet Foster, Elkhart, Indiana
John Friesen, Dhamtari, C. P., India
Titus Gerber, Millersburg, Ohio
Virgil Gerig, Smithville, Ohio
Jasper Goodman, Elkhart, Indiana
Robert Gongwer, Wakarusa, Indiana
Orville Gunden, Goshen, Indiana
John Hartzler, Tiskilwa, Illinois
Mark Hartzler, West Liberty, Ohio
Emanuel Hertzler, Norristown, Pennsylvania
Horace Hollar, New Paris, Indiana
Clair Kauffman, Goshen, Indiana
Paul Kaufman, Portland, Oregon
Jay Leatherman, Bristol, Indiana
Leonard Lehman, Goshen, Indiana
Owen Martin, Elkhart, Indiana
Carl Miller, Wellman, Iowa
Floyd Miller, Louisville, Ohio
Roscoe Miller, Sugar Creek, Ohio
Vernon Miller, Millersburg, Ohio
Dorsa Mishler, LaGrange, Indiana
Willard Pustay, Canton, Ohio
Herbert Ripley, Milford, Indiana
Orville Roth, San Antonio, Texas
Glenn Schrock, Orrville, Ohio
Harold Schrock, Goshen, Indiana
Vernon Schmidt, Harper, Kansas
Milton Slagel, Flanagan, Illinois
Francis Smucker, Orrville, Ohio
Ira Smucker, Orrville, Ohio
Gordon Staub, Detroit, Michigan
Lawrence Stump, Elkhart, Indiana
Harold Stutzman, Wenatchee, Washington
Maynard Stutzman, Wenatchee, Washington
Francis Troyer, Shipshewana, Indiana
Lotus Troyer, Middlebury, Indiana
Leonard Troyer, Elida, Ohio
Gerhard Wegner, Chicago, Illinois
Dwight Weldy, Wakarusa, Indiana
Maurice Weldy, Elkhart, Indiana
Dale Wenger, South English, Iowa
Russell Wright, Elkhart, Indiana
Lyle Yost, Hesston, Kansas
Clifford Yoder, Columbiana, Ohio
Delmer Yoder, Sugar Creek, Ohio
Don Yoder, Elkhart, Indiana
Dwight Yoder, Bellefontaine, Ohio
Raymond Yoder, Goshen, Indiana
Richard Yoder, West Liberty, Ohio
Roy Yoder, West Liberty, Ohio
Robert Zarske, Dearborn, Michigan
Elwood Ziegler, Leetonia, Ohio

avon literary society

"Esse quam vivere"—"to be rather than to seem" the ideal set forth in our motto, furnishes the motive for each loyal Avon to strive after those things most desired. We began the year with thirty staunch members returning to the campus from former years. With zealous effort we set about encouraging new students to join us, and were finally rewarded when our enrollment reached its peak with forty new members.

The congenial fellowship which we endeavor to foster between societies on our campus was renewed and strengthened in the fall at the Vesperian-Avon Tea, which is used to introduce new girls to the Goshen College Literary societies.

The home of Retha and Thelma Hostetler was the scene of the first meeting of the year. After tea, the new officers were installed. A very interesting program was given in November. Haidie Enss, a freshman, spoke on "My College Hopes"; Retha Hostetler, a post graduate student, spoke on "If I Had It to Do Over Again". At the next meeting a series of programs was begun. Each centered about the general theme, "The College Girl's Culture".

Among the many social ventures of the year, sponsored by the Avons and Auroras conjointly, will be remembered the annual outing held one night in the early autumn. Despite the traditional drizzling rain, both Avons and Auroras returned to the campus with beaming faces and fine memories, assuring the opposite societies, in mock rivalry, that only Avons and Auroras could thus enjoy themselves. To the list of conjoint activities must be added the annual Avon-Aurora banquet, March 17, which was appropriately Irish.

The spirit of the society is kept alive in our weekly meetings, at which programs are presented of varied and live interest.

—Carrie Yoder

literary

officers

Officers—First Semester		Officers—Second Semester	
President	Thelma A. Hostetler	President	Ruth Ebersole
Vice-President	Martha Plank	Vice-President	Elda Hostetler
Secretary	Kathryn Hershberger	Secretary	Lois M. Yoder
Treasurer	Lois M. Yoder	Treasurer	Edith King
Critic	Elda Hostetler	Critic	Ruth Buzzard
Attorney	Mae Orendorff	Attorney	Gladys Yoder
		Reporter	Alta Good
Ushers	Carrie Yoder, Dora Bigler, Betty Marshall	Ushers	Vivian Lehman, Dorothy Mast, Pearl Miller

the roll

Eileen Bachman, Lowpoint, Illinois
Frances Barnard, Goshen, Indiana
Bessie Benell, Minot, N. D.
Beth Biggs, New Paris, Indiana
Dora Bigler, Elkhart, Indiana
Grace Burck, Albany, Ore.
Viola Burck, Albany, Ore.
Ruth Buzzard, Goshen, Indiana
Beth Carpenter, Goshen, Indiana
Mary Cathcart, Bristol, Indiana
LaVerne Christner, Minier, Illinois
Sarah Christophel, Goshen, Indiana
Ruth Ebersole, Elkhart, Indiana
Velma Emmert, Goshen, Indiana
Haidie Enss, Detroit, Mich.
Justine Enss, Detroit, Mich.
Prudence Erne, Elkhart, Indiana
Ruth Everest, Goshen, Indiana
Alta Good, Rantoul, Illinois
Irene Grabill, Goshen, Indiana
Mary Grove, Garden City, Mo.
Audrey Harrington, Goshen, Indiana
Margaret Hartzler, Goshen, Indiana
Kathryn Hershberger, Decatur, Illinois
Virginia Hiatt, Elkhart, Indiana
Marie Hooley, Smithville, Ohio
Edna Hostetler, Harper, Kansas
Elda Hostetler, Harper, Kansas
Thelma Hostetler, Goshen, Indiana
Doris Kauffman, Goshen, Indiana
Marie Kauffman, Havelock, Iowa
Priscilla Kelly, Goshen, Indiana
Edith King, Chicago, Illinois
Lillian Kissinger, Rensselaer, Indiana
Vivian Lehman, Berne, Indiana
Betty Marshall, West Liberty, Ohio
Erma Martin, Minot, N. D.
Dorthy Mast, Millersburg, Ohio
Esther Miller, Middelbury, Indiana
Pearl Miller, Sugar Creek, Ohio
Mae Orendorff, Flanagan, Illinois
Gwendoline Orn, Milford, Indiana
Thelma Oyer, Roanoke, Illinois
Elizabeth Plank, West Liberty, Ohio
Marie Ramseyer, Smithville, Ohio
May Rohrer, Orrville, Ohio
Delilah Roth, San Antonio, Texas
Vera Mae Roth, San Antonio, Texas
Grace Sawyer, Elkhart, Indiana
Ruth Schmidt, Harper, Kansas
Myrtle Schnell, Orrville, Ohio
Eunice Schrock, Fisher, Illinois
Agnes Spurgeon, New Paris, Indiana
Geraldine Stiver, New Paris, Indiana
Margaret Stump, Elkhart, Indiana
Mary Sutter, Kouts, Indiana
Ardis Thornton, Elkhart, Indiana
Betty Trump, Goshen, Indiana
Grace Weaver, Goshen, Indiana
Mary Welty, Goshen, Indiana
LaVerne Wenger, Martinsburg, Pennsylvania
Ruth Whirledge, Syracuse, Indiana
Carrie Yoder, Hutchinson, Kansas
Ethel Yoder, Middlebury, Indiana
Gladys Yoder, Surrey, N. D.
Lois M. Yoder, Hubbard, Ore.
Aldine Yordy, Minonk, Illinois
Ethel Yordy, Eureka, Illinois
Fern Zehr, Flanagan, Illinois
Vida Zuercher, Dalton, Ohio

the maple leaf

Early last summer, work was begun on the 1937 Maple Leaf. Through the year, the work progressed in the direction of the goals which we had set for ourselves. The goals summarized briefly are: first, to uphold the high standards of the preceding issues; second, to present a well-rounded picture of our Alma Mater—one which either a stranger or an alumnus could understand equally well; third, to effect a new organization of material—this division to be more of a horizontal division than the former, vertical one. This meant substituting three sections (Leading, Living, and Learning) for the former, traditional division (Administration, Classes, Departments, etc.) The new division brings related activities nearer together than was formerly possible, and it affects a remarkable economy of space. A fourth aim was to lower advertising prices to reasonable rates so that Goshen business men would be glad to support the publication; fifth, to permit students to pay for the book in their general fees.

We have striven to reach these goals. If we have been successful, it is because of the splendid co-operation which has been given in our work. We owe much to the exacting guidance of our advisor, Dean Bender. He, more than anyone else has challenged us to do our best in producing a "better" Maple Leaf.

Some of the members of the Staff are shown in the above picture. Beginning in the back row, from left to right, they are: Vernon Schmidt, member of the Photography Staff; Samuel Bucher, Business Staff; Falls Hershey, Associate Editor; John Friesen, Art and Photography Editor; Lloyd Conrad, Business Staff; second row—S. Paul Miller, Photography Staff; Thelma Oyer, College Life; Delilah Roth, College Life; Alta Good, Typist; Raymond Yoder, Assistant Business Manager; front row—Dean Bender, Faculty Advisor; Winifred Nelson, Associate Editor; Emanuel Hertzler, Editor; Lois Yoder, College Life Editor; Waldo Lehman, Business Manager. Those not in the picture are: Myrtle Schnell, College Life Staff; John Smucker, Photography Staff; and Geraldine Stiver, Typist.

Emanuel Hertzler

literary

the college record

Each month Goshen College students look to the College Record for a period of pleasure and inspiration. In its pages are found many examples of our campus literary talent. English themes, leading articles by the faculty, reports of activities written up by the students, and campus opinion on current problems all find a place within its pages. The other departments, except for the Feature page, are primarily for the purpose of providing an accurate historical record of events which take place and are significant in the history of the college and the organizations on the campus. The feature page already mentioned is designed to give a bit of humor and provoke a few smiles. The Staff attempts at all times to uphold the Christian ideals of the college which it represents and to give an accurate impression of student life and student activities. The College Record has served this purpose and held its place for thirty-eight years.

Progress in the financial department of the publication is significant. Until the last few years, the Record was almost entirely financed by the student body. The business managers have been working hard and have succeeded to gain the support of the Goshen business men so that it is now self-supporting.

The members of the staff shown in the picture below, reading from left to right, are: back row—Elta Holaway, typist; Eunice Schrock, athletic reporter; Viola Burck, typist; Mary Grove, literary reporter; Martha King, college news reporter; Kathryn Hershberger, feature reporter; Betty Jane Marshall, typist; Myrtle Kolb, religious activities reporter; second row—Ernest Davis, athletic reporter; Miss Olive Wyse, alumni reporter; Eunice Albrecht, college news reporter; John Umble, faculty advisor; Ethel Yordy, head typist; Goldie Gerber, typist; Parke Lantz, college news reporter; Dorsa Mishler, feature reporter; front row—William Friesen, college news editor; Floyd Shore, business staff; Justine Enss, musical activities reporter; Francis Troyer, editor; Thelma A. Hostetler, associate editor; Vernon Miller, business manager; Maurice Burkholder, business staff; Harold Miller, religious activities reporter.

—Francis Troyer

a cappella chorus

The A Cappella Choruses of the college play a major part in the activities on our campus. The three organizations are, the College A Cappella Chorus, the Ladies' Chorus, and the Men's Chorus. They are, however, very closely connected because the members of the Men's and Ladies' Choruses are those also of the A Cappella, and the presidents of these two groups serve as president and vice-president of the large chorus. It has been the custom to send only the Men's Chorus on the annual tour, but two years ago this precedent was broken, and the ladies accompanied the men on a western tour. We are glad that this year again, the A Cappella Chorus was able to take the trip through part of Illinois and Iowa. It not only gave the chorus something to look forward to, but it served as an incentive for harder work. One of the outstanding events of the year for the chorus, was the rendition of Handel's Messiah at Christmas time. The soloists, with the exception of Professor Yoder, were students. Besides the programs at the college in connection with Thanksgiving, Easter, Vesper services, and Commencement, programs were given in a number of the surrounding churches. Also a program was given in the high school auditorium as a part of the Goshen Music Series.

The Men's and Ladies' Choruses met regularly once a week, and sometimes twice a week, for separate practices. Each organization gave a group of numbers at every regular program. During the first part of the year, these two choruses were directed by Professor B. F. Hartzler. Although these groups met less often than the A Cappella Chorus, we looked forward to these times when we were able to meet together as groups to study.

The officers of the organization are: John Duerksen—president, Ruth Ebersole—vice-president, Dwight Yoder—business manager, and Francis Smucker—Librarian.

The membership of the choruses was determined by competitive tryouts given by the director at the beginning of the year. Our program was composed of sacred music exclusively, and the purpose of every program was to conduct a worship service in song. We looked forward to every practice and every program, and we are indeed grateful to Professor Yoder for his untiring and patient efforts.

Harriet Lapp

musical

ladies' chorus

The members of the Ladies' Chorus in the picture below are: top row—Alta Good, Justine Enss, Mae Orendorff, Marie Ramseyer, Ethel Yordy, Doris Wade, Maude Swartzendruber, Harriet Lapp, Martha Plank, Betty Jane Marshall; middle row—Elizabeth Royer, Lois Miller, Ruth Ebersole, Mary Grove, Thelma M. Hostetler, Professor Hartzler, Lois Yoder, Kathryn Hershberger, Katheryn Yoder, Martha King, LaVerne Wenger; bottom row—Sarah Christophel, Margaret Stump, Vivian Lehman, Rachel Moyer, Delilah Roth, Fern Zehr, Vida Zuercher, May Rohrer, Myrtle Kolb, and Elda Hostetler.

men's chorus

The members of the Men's Chorus in the picture below are: top row—Ralph Brenneman, Dwight Yoder, Vernon Miller, Maurice Burkholder, James Watson, Lawrence Burkholder, Charles Neff, Lyle Yost, Falls Hershey, Roscoe Miller; middle row—Leonard Lehman, David Bender, Richard Yoder, Edward Belan, Waldo Lehman, Professor Hartzler, Paul Kaufman, Luther Shetler, William Friesen, John Friesen, Fred Blosser; bottom row—Dwight Weldy, Timothy Brenneman, Mark Hartzler, Raymond Yoder, John Duerksen, Robert Zarske, Franklin Bishop, Francis Smucker, Virgil Gerig, and Leland Byler.

music club

The Music Club was organized for the purpose of promoting a deeper appreciation of good music. Its members are students who are particularly talented along musical lines or those deeply interested in music as an aesthetic enjoyment. The organization assists in promoting support of a series of concerts which brings notable artists to the city at a very nominal cost to the student. Professor Walter E. Yoder is faculty adviser of the organization. The student officers are: William Friesen, president; Justine Enss, vice-president; Dwight Weldy, secretary; John Duerksen, treasurer.

collegiate chorus

Last year another chorus was organized to offer a means of giving more students an opportunity to engage in choral work. This chorus, known as the Collegiate Chorus, consists mostly of Freshmen. This year, Professor B. F. Hartzler was its director. Francis Troyer served as president; Edna Hostetler, as treasurer; Edith King, as accompanist. Most of the members assisted Professor Hartzler's city chorus in giving Bach's "Christmas Oratorio". In the spring, the chorus presented programs at various churches and schools in the vicinity.

musical

a cappella chorus itinerary

Fisher, Illinois	April 9
Flanagan, Illinois	April 10
Peoria, Illinois (Men) (a. m.)	April 11
Pleasant Hill, Illinois (Ladies) (a. m.)	April 11
Morton, Illinois (afternoon)	April 11
Hopedale, Illinois (evening)	April 11
Metamora, Illinois	April 12
Roanoke, Illinois	April 13
Tiskilwa, Illinois	April 14
Sterling, Illinois	April 15
Manson, Iowa	April 16
Wayland, Iowa	April 17
South English, Iowa (afternoon)	April 18
Kalona, Iowa (evening)	April 18
Freeport, Illinois	April 19
Chicago, Illinois	April 20
Goshen, Indiana	April 27

athletic association

Three years ago there was a feeling among the leaders on the campus that reorganization of the Athletic Association was imperative. The temporary association which was formed by way of experiment has not proven satisfactory, and this year we again find an urgent need for some revision. Opportunity for participation in organized games and other recreational activities has nevertheless, been adequate.

Soft-ball, volley ball, and basketball are the team games that have been used. Perhaps track work should also be included here, not because it is a team game; but rather because it depends very largely for its success and interest upon class instruction. Four soft ball teams were organized in the fall, and again reorganized with numerous changes, in the spring. Forty-five girls and as many men played volley ball (a few played in only one game) from the last of October when field-work was discontinued until the beginning of the basketball season. Teams were again organized with greater enthusiasm in the spring. The basketball season this year has been shorter than in many previous years. With the adoption of a new policy concerning public games for women by the administration of the college the Varsity-Alumni game, which formerly opened the season, was not played.

In a small college where only the minimum of physical education required for graduation is offered, it seems more profitable to lay particular stress on recreational work, and individual and dual games which can be used after leaving school. With this in mind perpetual tournaments in ping pong and deck tennis were organized at the close of the basketball season. Although perpetual tourneys have been successfully organized for the men for a number of years, these are the first tournaments of the kind for women. There are twenty entrants for the ping pong tourney, and eleven have signed for deck tennis—the infant of the game group at the present time. Archery, the next to the youngest child, continues but not, let it be said thoughtfully, with the interest that was originally shown. On the other hand interest in tennis which had dropped very low has been somewhat renewed; perhaps because of improvements on the tennis courts. Hiking, bicycling, roller skating and ice skating with horse shoe pitching, shuffle board, and several other games that are used less frequently round out the present program.

The officers of the association in the above picture are: left to right: Vernon Miller—president, Thelma A. Hostetler—vice-president, Ernest Davis—director of men's athletics, E. LaVerne Yoder—director of women's athletics, Glen Miller—chairman of faculty athletic committee.

E. LaVerne Yoder

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intersociety athletics

The intersociety games are the most vigorously contended athletic contests of the year. Intersociety competition began in the fall with a series of soft-ball games by the men's societies. The Adelphians rallied in the last inning of the first game, and won by a slight margin. However, the Auroras had little trouble in winning the next two games. The Adelphian battery was George Smith and George Hooley; the Aurora battery was Vernon Miller and Virgil Gerig. The women's societies played volley ball instead of soft-ball. The Avons won two of the three games played.

The most important contests of the year were the basketball games. The Adelphian team won the first game by a score of 18-15, but lost the second 23-25. The third game was won by the Adelphians, 33-20. Vernon Miller, Aurora, and Richard Brenneman, Adelphian, led in the scoring with ten points each. The Avons won two of the three basketball games played with the Vesperians.

The Adelphian team (upper left) consists of: back row—Richard Brenneman, Robert Hippensteel, and George Smith; front row—Dwayne Nelson, Ralph Greener, and Falls Hershey. The Aurora team (upper right) consists of: back row—Frank Byler, Lotus Troyer, and Carl Miller; front row—Lyle Yost, Vernon Miller, and Gordon Staub. The Avon team members are: (lower left) back row—Velma Emmert, Ardis Thornton, Elizabeth Plank, and Betty Jane Marshall; front row—Gwendoline Orn, Ethel Yordy, and Fern Zehr. The Vesperian team members are: back row—Helen Miller, Ann Wenger, Mary Esch, Margaret Bauer, and Ruth King; front row—Helen Miller, Martha King, and Geneva Stamm.

men's basketball

The major athletic activity during the winter months is basketball. Participation is more general and interest more widespread than in any other sport. About forty-five games were played by eight intramural teams, in two divisions; there was the annual tilt with the alumni, and the hard-fought inter-society series. Over sixty-five men took part.

The varsity and alumni fought it out before a capacity crowd at Homecoming. The game was spirited and both teams displayed fine ability and excellent sportmanship. The varsity bowed before the alumni group consisting of O. Jessup, J. J. Miller, B. Overholt, G. Raber, H. Troyer, R. Sheidler, and G. Guengerich.

Less spectacular, perhaps, but quite as good recreation was the interclass competition. A two round, Round Robin tournament found the sophomore record unsoiled by a single defeat. They also swept through the spring elimination tourney, virtually unchallenged. During the season they amassed an average of forty-five points per game as compared to an average of fifteen points for their opponents.

The "B" league tournament was hard fought. Five teams competed and there was a place for anyone who desired to play.

The season totals are: Freshman A four wins, three losses; Freshman B no wins, one loss; Sophomore A eight wins, no losses; Sophomore B no wins, one loss; Juniors two wins, five losses; seniors four wins, six losses.

The teams shown above are: Seniors—upper left; Juniors—lower left; Sophomores "A"—upper middle; Freshmen "A"—lower middle; Sophomore "B"—upper right; Freshmen "B"—lower right.

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women's basketball

The women's basketball season was a decided success. All the interclass games, which were scheduled to be completed in two rounds, were played. Besides these, three literary games were played.

Before Christmas vacation the teams were chosen and the captains appointed. Ethel Yordy and Wilma Miller were respective captains of the Sophomore "A" and "B" teams. Elizabeth Plank was chosen captain of the Freshman "A" team, and Geraldine Stiver of the Freshman "B" team. There were fourteen games played by these four teams. The Sophomore "A" team won first place by winning five of the seven games played. The Sophomore "B" team won four games from the total seven. The Freshman "A" won three of the seven played and the Freshman "B" won two of the seven.

There was much friendly rivalry during these games. The ability of many new players was brought to the front. Unusual ability in shooting baskets goes to Martha King, Elizabeth Plank, and Betty Jane Marshall. Ann Wenger, Lillian Kissinger, and Frances Barnard proved themselves able guards.

In the upper left picture is the Sophomore "A" team which consists of (back row) Fern Zehr, Gwendoline Orn, Ruth King, Vida Zuercher, (front row) Martha King, Ethel Yordy, and Betty Jane Marshall. The members of the Freshman "A" team in the upper right picture are: (back row) Goldie Gerber, Dorothy June Mast, Geneva Stamm, Edna Brenneman, Ann Wenger, Lillian Kissinger, (front row) Mary Cathcart, Elizabeth Plank, and Frances Barnard. The Sophomore "B" team members in the lower left are: (back row) Ardis Thorton, Ethel Yoder, Gladys Hershberger, (front row) Velma Emmert, Wilma Miller, and Helen Miller. The Freshman "B" team members appearing in the lower right picture are the following: (back row) Mary Shenk, Viola Burck, Ruth Sieber, Audrey Harrington, Marie Ramseyer, Marie Hooley, Ruth Schmidt, (front row) Margaret Bauer, Geraldine Stiver, and Margaret Stump.

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If one is to serve effectively and long in the work of the world, culture for the body as well as for the mind must be planned for and provided. To spend money, energy, years of time and self-denial, in an effort to advance intellectually only to have the value of this annulled by a broken down body is a tragedy enacted all too frequently. It is, furthermore, possible that many who pursue their tasks from morning to night, day after day, even though they do not break down completely, are less effective, less pleasant, accomplish no more than if time for play was made a part of life. It is realized that just as damaging or more so is an over emphasis of play. To play too hard and too long is extravagant of time and energy and may definitely militate against health and useful work.

A college program of recreation and athletics must provide for participation by everyone. Goshen College has not stressed competitive sports of such a nature as to favor only a few selected athletes. To be thoroughly

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awake to the value and need of recreation and to provide ample opportunities for participation in a well balanced program of athletics are goals towards which our efforts are directed.

Do we need a new gymnasium—larger, better equipped, and more adequately heated? We do. And a swimming pool would be highly desirable. Are such improvements and additions beyond our reach? Think it over, for you hold the answer.

In the meanwhile we shall continue to enjoy the facilities we have, the splendid work of our physical education directors, the excellent co-operation, spirit, and boundless energies of young men and women of Goshen College.

—Glen Miller

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SEPTEMEBER

8. Welcome back to Alma Mater! The Registrar's office is filled with upper classmen. Freshmen are initiated to the art of test taking—the subject is intelligence. Dr. Miller and several upper classmen point out high spots to Freshmen on a campus tour from four to five.

9. Bewildered Freshmen stand in lines awaiting the pleasure of the Dean and Registrar. Gentleman and ladies enjoy themselves separately at the annual Thimble and Stag parties.

   "Tis the end of a perfect day"; as the Kulp Hall balconies are filled in answer to the voice of serenaders around the fountain.

10. Classes meet. A few wonder why they are here!

    Inhabitants of Kulp Hall are summoned to their first House Meeting.

11. "Present Day Trends in Education," is a very fitting subject for address, as presented by Dean Bender in chapel. The Get Acquainted Social proves quite successful. We feel we know each other.

12. Tired of Goshen College so soon? The Art classes went to Chicago. The girls enjoyed themselves (as there's no one else to enjoy) at open house in Kulp Hall.

13. First Christian Worker's Band meeting of the year. We look forward to a good attendance this year.

    The Social Room of Kulp Hall is initiated anew to its duties by an informal singing after Y. P. M.

14. Literary societies meet. The Avons start the year out right. They are entertained at tea by Thelma Hostetler.

15. The Freshmen are still bewildered, despite the brotherly efforts of upperclassmen to acquaint them with established custom.

16. We wonder if there is a disease called autumn fever? It appears that way.

17. The Y.P.C.A. drive for members proves satisfactory.

18. Literary rivalry has begun. The Avons and Vesperians entertain prospective members at tea, Harriet Lapp and Thelma Hostetler presiding.

19. Class Socials. Lois Yoder informs us that it is dangerous to play with fire.

20. The campus is marred by car tracks.

21. Brows are knit with indecision; tenseness fills the atmosphere; the literary membership drive is on!

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24. Seniors make an impression by presenting an after-dinner program—"Hats."

25. A. J. Metzler begins a series of three week-end meetings.
The Audubons wish to show their ambition. They eat breakfast in company with nature along the race.

28. Rain spoils plans of the literaries.

29. Dean and Mrs. Bender entertain German club at their home.

30. And it rained!
One lonesome freshman in consoling himself was heard to say, "Well, I'm glad its the end of something, if it is only the end of the beginning".
And so ends September.

OCTOBER

1. Juniors present a mock court scene in the form of an after-dinner program, John Coffman suffering the consequences.

2. Library staff relax at four o'clock, while Stella Kaufman entertains them in her apartment.

3. Signs of autumn are appearing. The leaves are already blushing over the kisses of Jack Frost.

5. Avons and Auroras brave the elements. Showers cannot dampen their spirits, but only make the picnic more interesting.

   The Vesperians and Adelphians fry their fish in the dining hall.

6. We no longer find Freshmen wandering into the wrong rooms. They seem to become quite well established, i.e., most of them.

8. Judge John Coffman presides while new members of the French club are properly installed.

   Adelphians take the first victory of the baseball season from the Auroras.

9. The Lecture Board opens its series of programs in presenting Miss Dorothy Fuldheim.

10. We have as visitors on the campus—Elizabeth Sieber and Howard Kaser.

11. No complaints are heard today. The students are invited out to dinner.

12. Vesperians and Adelphians enjoy a picnic in the open.

    Paul Brosy conducts chapel, presenting a series of Bible studies on I John.

14. Dean Bender conducts Bible study group.

15. The tables turn, placing Auroras on top. Yes. it's baseball!!

16. Features of the evening: "Men's Mixer" and "Sister's All".

    The fountain boils over under the pressure applied in the form of Freshman men.

17. The rare autumn beauty of Michigan scenery lures many students from the campus.

18. Arthur Kane takes us with him in a most interesting tour around the world.

20. Mrs. Slate entertains the Vesperians at her home.

21. Although it rains, the Seniors leave unceremoniously, and without warning. for unknown parts. Juniors are puzzled, —But not long! !

22. At 11:45 P. M. the return of the Seniors is welcomed and received by the Juniors in the Home Ec. rooms.

23. "School days, school days." are relived as the Juniors pile into Ray Yoder's "better for more" school bus and are transferred to the home of Ruth Buzzard. It is a Hallowe'en party.

24. North Goshen is made the subject of a religious survey.

25. Evangelistic meetings are in charge of Allen Erb.

28. Eunice Albrecht takes pity on Shakespeare and donates a hat.

NOVEMBER

1. Evangelistic meetings come to a close.

2. We spend a delightful evening in Mexico with Mr. Sawders.

3. The German Club is entertained at the home of Betty Trump. The members were slightly late in returning. It was just the school bus again!

5. We are all Germans tonight, and listen to a talk by our German student, Gerhard Wenger.

   The Maple Leaf Staff becomes exclusive. They dine in the annex.

6. The Vesperians and Adelphians present a program in the auditorium.

7. Mr. and Mrs. Wolf and Miss Dick are the guests of the French club.

8. King winter is at last asserting his power. As snow spreads over the campus, autumn is crowded into the background.

9. "Thank You" and "If you please" are becoming the fad. It's "Courtesy Week."

12. Ruth Ebersole makes her home the scene of an announcement party. As revealed by a crossword puzzle, it is Plank—Zarske this time.

13. Those interested in the Peace Movement assemble to hear C. L. Garber's address.

14. Kulp Hall resembles a bee-hive tonight. We see acquisitive men striding through halls laden with boxes, etc. in which to collect whatever is to be had. Open house comes but once a year.

15. Winter is settling upon us, trying to impress us with snowbanks and wind flurries.

19. The Bible class gave attention to an illustrated lecture by Bro. Steiner.

21. The German Club presents the Gerber sisters trio from Dalton, Ohio.

23. Cold.

24. Colder.

25. The halls of Kulp Hall are almost unrecognizable, as preparations are being made for the Homecoming visitors.

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26. Thanksgiving has finally arrived, turkey and all.

    The chorus gives us a program in the evening.

27. Juanita Bauer entertains the homecomers in the Auditorium this evening.

28. No classes. The day is spent in attending literary reunions, basketball games, and is finally ended with a sociable evening in the dining hall.

29. As our visitors leave, we begin to settle down to regular routine once again.

30. Prof. Umble entertains the literary societies with pictures of Boulder, Colorado.

DECEMBER

1. Professors are absentminded. Prof. Hershberger tries to use a hot radiator pipe for a window stick and burns his hand.

2. J. N. Kaufman visits the campus.

3. French Club dinner.

4. The debate season is approaching. The Freshmen expose their argumentative abilities by gaining a decision over the Sophomores.

5. Mr. Baumgartner, soloist in the Westminster Choir, makes the Avon-Aurora Musical a success. Santa Claus appears a bit early this year!

6. Goshen College is represented in Chicago, Illinois and Berne, Indiana, today by the college quartets.

7. The dam is alive tonight with skaters. Several experience cold dips in ice water.

8. The Psychology class visits Kalamazoo asylum. All return.

9. Freshman girls have revived the vacation song in Kulp Hall.

10. The Christmas spirit is already in the air. The French club has a Christmas program, at which time they exchange gifts.

    The Topeka ladies treat the students to pie and chicken in the dining hall.

11. Freshmen once more debate with success over the Sophomores. This time it is the "B" teams.

12. The second skating party is held.

13. The children of the North Goshen Sunday School take part in a Christmas program in the basement of the new church.

14. Literaries express the Christmas spirit by exchanging gifts.

16. German club has a party.

17. One more day till vacation!

18. The choruses present a program of Christmas music.

    The students spread Christmas cheer by singing carols. Falling snow adds to the Christmas atmosphere.

19. Christmas vacation begins.

27. Party for all those "left behind".

JANUARY

4. Best wishes for a Happy New Year! We find our numbers considerably increased. Sixty-five short termers have already registered.

5. We decide that someone on third floor of Kulp Hall has mistaken the season when we hear the explosions of fire crackers.

6. Dr. Edward Yoder addresses the Peace Society.

7. The practice teachers entertain their critic teachers in the dining hall. That's one way!!

8. We find ourselves strangers to many of the new students. The Midwinter social helps us to get acquainted.

10. Jay Hostetler delivers the sermon in church this morning.

11. The Mid-winter social seems to have served several Freshman men very well.

13. The Juniors and several Seniors are struggling with their native language in the form of English proficiency tests.

14. The accomplished woodsman and poet Lew Sarrett, captivates us with his lecture in the auditorium.

15. The Avons and Auroras give a public program.

16. A new son arrives in the home of Prof. Walter Yoder.

20. Exams!
Students are seen with blank looks and some even wonder what its all about.

21. The tension created by exams is relieved for the moment by the Westminster Choir which sings at the high school.

23. The Juniors throw snow balls, eat hot chili, and have a genuine good time even though the fellows did have to push the bob-sled at times.

24. The campus is transformed into a glistening fairy-land, as the sun shines on the ice-laden trees and shrubs.

25. Several of our members are about to leave us. The Juniors have a farewell table in the dining hall for Delilah Roth. Haidie Enss leaves also.

26. Skating has become the thing!

27. The students vacate the campus to attend a musical concert in Elkhart.

28. Bro. Swartzendruber relates his experiences as a "C.O." in the army camps during the World War.

29. Home talent is exhibited as the public speaking class presents a program.

30. Nature students enjoy the bird pictures shown in the Assembly Hall.

FEBRUARY

1. More home talent! Prof. Kreider's piano students give a recital.

3. We hear music issuing from the dining hall stairs. It's the short termers!

4. Short term students conduct conjoint devotional meeting.

6. Another skating party.

9. John Duerksen shows us interesting pictures of Hopi Indian life and manner of living, at 4:00 this afternoon.

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10. Goshen College campus puts on its best manners in welcoming more visitors. Minister's week has begun.

11. The Peace Society and its friends meet to discuss peace problems.

12. We wish C. L. Graber luck and success as he sets out on his mission to interview President Roosevelt in company with several others representing the cause of peace.

13. A busy week-end has begun. Visitors are again arriving for Christian Life Conference.

16. The inhabitants of Kulp Hall wear an impetuous air as they send messages to their "Heart sisters", and perform acts of kindness in their behalf.

19. Men's annual discussion contest is held.

21. "Heart sisters" are still performing deeds of kindness, doing their best to fill the campus with an aroma of good will and good fellowship.

23. The suspense is over. "Heart sisters" are revealed to each other and have a merry chat over the steaming tea-cups.

    Fear grips the hearts of some of the students as they bare their arms for the application of the needle. To be (T. B.) or not to be (T. B.)—that's the question.

24. Lake Syracuse is the scene of a merry skating party.

25. The French club meets to initiate new members.
    The Junior and Senior girls are addressed by Pres. Yoder.

26. We send our best wishes with the debate teams as they leave for North Manchester to participate in the debate tournament.

28 Bluffton College is represented on our campus by several men of the gospel team.

MARCH

1. March enters mildly!
   Prudence Erne gives an enlightening talk on match factories in the conjoint A-A literary meeting. Voice of Experience??

3. It's a little early for spring fever, but several students seem to have contracted it out of season.

5. The Goshen College debate team is victor over the team sent here from Marion.
   Our affirmative team loses at Marion.

7. Spring seems to have gained the upper hand. We find it difficult to study.

9. Winter is not so easily defeated. Snow falls most of the day.
   The chief topic of conversation is the earthquake which shook this section of the country last night.

10. How changeable is March weather!!

12. Ruth Sieber takes first place in the Ladies' Declamation Contest.

14. The chorus gives a program at the Prairie St. Church in Elkhart this evening.

16. "Daddy" Lehman reveals the wonders of Venus.

17. The Avons and Auroras turn Irish, and celebrate Saint Patrick's Day with a banquet in the Home Economics Room.

18. The first prize in the Women's discussion contest is awarded to Frances Barnard.

19. A day full of question marks? Taylor debated twice with us here today and lost both times.

    The Adelphians won the deciding game between the Auroras and Adelphians.

20. "Spring comes on forever"—. It arrived at 6:30 this evening.

21. The campus seems quite deserted this evening with both choruses gone. The A Cappella chorus gives a program at Topeka, and the Collegiate chorus sings at Bristol.

    In spite of the absence of so many, there were a number who listened to the Y. P. M. program brought to us by the Elkhart congregation.

22. The new college recreation room is occupied tonight by the members of the French Club.

24. Gala night!
    Everyone enjoys himself immensely on shipboard at the Vesperian Soiree.

25. Special Passion week services are conducted by J. K. Bixler.
    Physics Class visits city power plant.

28. Easter Sunday. A special sunrise meeting was held at 6:00 this morning.

31. And March makes her exit!

APRIL

1. The Y. P. C. A. reorganizes. Waldo Lehman and Ruth King take up the responsibilities of the coming year.
   Falls Hershey takes first place in the Peace Oratorical Contest.
   The office force entertains in an after-dinner program this evening.

2. Much confusion reigns in Kulp Hall as cries of fire ring down the corridor. What a disappointment when it turns out to be only a few shingles on the roof of the South Cottage easily extinguished!

3. The Missionary conference continues.

4. The chorus leaves us again. This time Yellow Creek is its destination.

5. Many students hear the Oberlin Chorus at Elkhart.

7. Coffman Hall entertains Kulp Hall at Open House.

9. Spring vacation begins.

19. Spring vacation ends.

20. Chorus returns.

23. Dr. O. Ray Yoder lectures this eveing on "Mental Moratoriums".

27. The chorus sings at the High School as the last number of the Goshen Music Series.

28. H. C. Bryant, assistant director of the national park service gives an illustrated lecture.

29. Sticks fly, scraps of paper assume their proper places, and the campus is completely rejuvenated as "overalled" figures scramble to the tune of scraping rakes and grinding shovels. A huge bon fire and wieners terminate an industrious Campus Day.

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MAY

1. Spring is here! Prof's. first white pants.

2. The A Cappella Chorus sings at Vespers this afternoon.

6. Everyone leaves the campus and lessons behind for a general good time at College Point. It's May Day.

7. William Friesen is presented in a voice recital.

8. "Funnies."

   The state prison at Michigan City claims the members of the Social Problems class; but Dean Bender brings them all home safely. (The prison is is filled to capacity.)

10. Hungry vultures.

13. The Psychology Class studies abnormal psychology at the asylum.
    Professor Hartzler presents several of his students in recital.

14. The seniors spend the evening with the Juniors in Holland. They are conscious of efficient Dutch maidens and an atmosphere of windmills and tulips.

15. The Indiana-Michigan Literary Convention draws swarms of anonymous friends to our campus.

16. A convention chorus of several hundred voices sings on the front campus for more than a thousand friends.

17. The Avons and Auroras escape into the woods to themselves while playing baseball and roasting wieners.

    Noble Kreider entertains the members of the French Club with piano selections of French music at his home.

18. The chorus sings at the Olive Church.

19. Bishop D. D. Miller preaches at Council Meeting.

21. Another music recital.

23. The College Congregation observes Communion this morning.

24. The German Club gives a public program.

27. After a year of strenuous work, the chorus takes time for an outing.

30. The new building at North Goshen is dedicated

31. Exams begin.

JUNE

4. CLASS DAY PROGRAM

   7:30 P. M. Campus Program:

   Planting of the Ivy____Harriet Lapp

   Gift Oration _____John Duerksen

   Response _____President Yoder

   Emblem Oration ____Charles Kreider

   Response _____Waldo Lehman

   Assembly Hall Program:

   Class Presentation ____Myrtle Kolb
   (Music by Mixed Octette)

   Address _____Dwight Yoder

   Address _____Tim Brenneman

   Breaking of the Wreath __Mary Esch

   Class Song

5. 7:30 A. M. Senior Class Breakfast at Dean Bender's home.

   Toastmaster _____Francis Troyer

   Class History _____Elda Hostetler

   Class Prophecy _____
   Lois Miller, Paul Kaufman

   Violin Selections _____Justine Enss

   Toasts __Richard Yoder, Elizabeth Royer, Harold Miller, Ira Amstutz

   6:00 P. M. Alumni Banquet.

6. Missionary Day.

   11:00 A. M. Sermon____T. K. Hershey

   2:00 P. M. Jay Hostetler, missionary from India.

   Miss Gamber, superintendent of La Junta Hospital.

   Miss Shantz, missionary from India.

   8:00 P. M. Baccalaureate
   Sermon _____President Yoder

7. 10:00 A. M.—Final Chapel Service and Devotional.

   12:30 P. M.—College Luncheon.

   8:00 P. M.—Commencement Address —Dr. William Masselink—"The Holy Scripture as the Basis of All True Science".

8. Summer Session begins.

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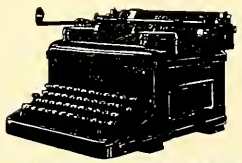

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